

# Jacksonville Daily Journal.

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## POWERS ON THE STAND

### IROQUOIS THEATRE MANAGER TESTIFIES

#### Blames Subordinates and Construction Company for Lack of Fire Protection—His Testimony.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Harry J. Powers, one of the resident owners and associate managers of the Iroquois theatre, took the stand as a witness before the coroner's jury to day. Upon request of the coroner Will J. Davis, the other resident owner of the Iroquois, retired from the room during the examination of Powers.

Powers said he is a stockholder, director, treasurer and associate manager of the Iroquois theatre. In a general way he was identified with preparation of plans for the theatre. Concerning details as to opening the theatre he referred the investigation to Will J. Davis. Powers said the reason the Iroquois had no fire apparatus was because House Fireman (Saller) had not ordered it. It was Saller's business to provide such things. Powers also placed the responsibility on the Iroquois Construction company, which, he said, was supposed to be constructing the building according to law. He declared Business Manager Noonan, Stage Carpenter Cummings and Chief Usher Dusenberry were entrusted with looking after details.

Powers said it was the business of the contractor and supervising architect to construct the theatre in accordance with the building laws. He assumed the building was all right. The actual operation of the theatre he placed on the shoulders of Davis, although he was always consulted. He knew what was being done only through Davis, who gave all orders.

#### THE BIBLE WAS SAVED.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Of all the articles for use in the religious services of Central church, taken to the Iroquois theatre the day before the fire, only the Bible escaped destruction. Its covers were burned off and its edges charred, but every word of the text remains.

An inspection of the church property has revealed the existence of the Bible, which, it had been supposed, was destroyed, but no trace could be found of the other property. Besides the Bible there were taken to the theatre two puppets, a communion service, consisting of a large silver pitcher and eight silver cups and some linen. The property was stored on one side of the stage in an alcove.

The Central church had taken a lease on the Iroquois theatre for a year for the Sunday service hours and the first service was to have been held on the Sunday following the fire.

#### CONFERS WITH ILLINOIS LEADERS.

Washington, Jan. 22.—State Senator Len Small, of Kankakee, and Ed C. Curtis, of Grant Park, Ill., former speaker of the Illinois house of representatives, were in Washington yesterday. Senator Small would like to receive the Republican nomination for state treasurer. They conferred with Cannon and Lorimer. It is expected that an announcement will be made soon which will have some bearing upon the gubernatorial campaign in Illinois. Messrs. Small and Curtis left the city on an evening train.

#### KILLED BY CARS.

Decatur, Jan. 22.—Robert McKenzie, a farmer residing south of Maroa, was struck and instantly killed by a train last night. He had been in town and started for home, walking down the tracks. His body lay where it had been thrown all night and was not found until the section men started out to their work this morning. He was unmarried.

#### SHIPBUILDING COMPANY.

New York, Jan. 22.—A local financial agency to day issued the following: "Charles M. Schwab and associates have reached an agreement with members of the Sheldon syndicate and Commonwealth Trust company for reorganization of the United States Shipbuilding company. The only obstacle to the agreement now is the bondholders' protective committee."

#### SOLD BONDS.

New York, Jan. 22.—The Wabash railroad has sold to Vermilye & Co. \$1,500,000 first mortgage fifty-year 4 per cent gold bonds issued for new freight terminals in St. Louis.

#### CLOSED ITS DOORS.

Cleveland, Jan. 22.—The Produce Exchange Banking company closed its doors to day. The court has appointed the Cleveland Trust company as receivers. Assets and liabilities \$1,500,000.

#### VESSELS RELEASED.

Milwaukee, Jan. 22.—The ice field which blocked navigation on the west shore of Lake Michigan for the past forty-eight hours was driven out late to night by shifting of the wind and all vessels in blockade between Milwaukee and Kenosha have been released. The steamer Iowa, reported released from the ice field near Chicago, had not reached Milwaukee up to 8 o'clock, but no fears for her safety are entertained.

diplomatic corps attended in a body.

## TYPHOID FEVER

### There Have Been One Hundred Cases and Fifteen Deaths at Canton.

Canton, Ill., Jan. 22.—The typhoid fever scourge has reached such proportions that heroic measures are considered necessary to stamp it out. At one time there were over one hundred cases and since the appearance of the epidemic there have been fifteen deaths. The authorities and citizens generally are thoroughly alarmed and Dr. E. F. Baker, inspector for the state board of health, has been called in for consultation on the situation. A special meeting of the city council was held Tuesday evening, which Dr. Baker addressed at length upon causes of the disease and recommending the most radical measures for its suppression. His advice was heeded and the board of health and mayor were empowered to make unlimited expenditure in combating it.

The city water supply is drawn from a well 230 feet deep, which is as pure as any water in the state, but in spite of the repeated advice of the health department people have persisted in the use of water from surface wells which are more, or less impregnated with organic matter. Everybody is now "boiling the water."

## TEMPORARY RECEIVER

### Appointed for Bankers' Union of the World, an Insurance Order.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—A temporary receiver was to day appointed by the supreme court for the Bankers' Union of the World, an insurance order, at the request of the deputy state auditor, who alleges it is insolvent and that \$30,000 due policy holders remains unpaid and that the assets are only \$2,500. Dr. E. C. Spinney, of Omaha, is president.

Omaha, Jan. 22.—The Bankers' Union of the World was organized five years ago by Dr. E. C. Spinney. The company has been doing business in twenty-five states and has in force about \$25,000,000 of insurance. Gross receipts for 1903, according to a statement just issued, were \$125,387; claims paid during 1903, \$32,000.

Spinney said the appointment of a receiver was a surprise to him, although he admitted there had been some difficulty between the state auditor's office and the company, as a result, he said, of his union declining to pay certain alleged excessive charges for examination. He says that Jan. 19 the concern had \$12,000 cash on hand and owned other assets worth \$35,000. The allegation the state auditor makes, he said, that \$20,000 was paid him for salary for 1903 was untrue. He stated his salary for 1903 was \$5,000; that he should have been paid \$5,000 commissions, which represented 5 per cent allowed him, but never drawn, on business for three former years; \$1,000 paid his wife as salary for editing the official paper, and \$5,000 in stock which he had placed in the treasury and which was returned to him by order of the directors.

Sheriff Power, temporary receiver, took possession of the offices of the concern late to day.

## FIRE LOSSES.

Clinton, Iowa, Jan. 22.—Fire at Lost Nation, a small town in this county, to day destroyed property valued at \$50,000.

New York, Jan. 22.—Fire to night caused \$300,000 damage to the plant of E. W. Bliss & Co., manufacturers of dies and presses for metal stamping and castings and other parts of Whitehead torpedoes for the United States navy. One fireman was killed by falling from a ladder.

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Jan. 22.—Fire started in one of the Hall & Munson factories at Bay Mills, twelve miles west of here, to night and burned every factory in the town. The company owned a large saw mill, woodworking plant, box factory and large stock of lumber, valued at \$300,000. The town, which has 1,200 inhabitants, will probably be left desolate, as there is nothing to keep it up.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—The plant of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company, Wabash avenue, burned to night and from this building flames communicated to the seven-story factory and apartment building of the Bucklen Medical company. A number of families living in the Bucklen building were compelled to make hasty exits, but all reached the street without injury. The Bucklen building was badly burned on the west end, but not destroyed.

## POSTAL TRIAL.

Washington, Jan. 22.—In the postal trial to day several witnesses were led through a tedious line of questioning by the assistant district attorney, most of which, counsel explained, was for the purpose of showing personal interest on the part of Machen regarding introduction of the Groff fastener. The government announced it was nearing completion of its case.

## WARRANT FOR CONDUCTOR.

Peoria, Jan. 22.—As the result of the coroner's inquest to night over the remains of the three men killed in the collision on the Iowa Central near Peoria Monday, a warrant was issued for Conductor Walker, of Monmouth, Ill. Walker is charged with being criminally careless and negligent in disobeying orders of train dispatchers.

## PROSPEROUS SPRING TRADE

### FINDS SUPPORT IN REPORTS MADE

#### Weather Conditions are a Draw-back at Present—Reports of Dun and Bradstreet for This Week.

New York, Jan. 22.—Bradstreet's says: Confidence in prosperous spring trade finds support in enlarging volume of business in southern and southeastern markets, an awakening of interest at some northwestern centers and growth at even central western and eastern markets, where weather conditions are a drawback to the fullest capacity. Strength of raw cotton is apparently making it easier to negotiate and place cottons in eastern markets at a higher level of values and manufacturing and jobbing in shoes is increasingly active, leather sympathizing in larger sales and at higher prices.

The iron trade is irregular as a whole. The demand for lighter finished products of iron and steel is better, good prices are being obtained as a rule. Pig iron is quieter. Hardware prices are rather better. Copper and tin are lower, while lead is higher. Lumber and building materials are rather quiet, but the outlook for spring is regarded as promising. Shoe leather and allied trades are in a very strong position the country over.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week aggregate 3,538,000 bushels, against 3,539,000 this week last year; July 1, 1903, to date \$35,812,000, against 142,572,000 last season.

Corn exports for the week were 1,150,000 bushels, against 3,577,000 a year ago; July 1, 1903, to date, 32,018,000, against 18,291,000 last season.

## DUN'S REPORT.

Dun says: Weather conditions have furnished the chief influence in the general trade situation. To some extent traffic has been hindered, especially at the east, but latest returns of railway earnings for January show an increase of 3.9 per cent over 1903. The consumption of fuel was increased and retail trade in coal greatly expanded, but no commensurate gain at first hands is reported, owing to large supplies held by dealers. Retail distribution of footwear and heavy wearing apparel felt the stimulus and the annual clearance sales removed accumulations of millinery and dry goods. Wholesale business is fairly active and jobbing trade is normal. Manufacturing plants are more active with little change in quotations and the outlook for spring trade is considered favorable. Collections are somewhat more prompt. Leading staples have risen to new maximum prices for the crop year. Iron and steel plants that resumed at the turn of the year have obtained sufficient business to continue operating. As to quotations there is nominal no alteration. Print cloths have again advanced, but otherwise former quotations prevail. More new lines of woollens were opened at concessions.

Failures this week in the United States were 358, against 265 last year.

## MYSTERIOUS MURDER

Bedford, Ind., Jan. 22.—The body of Miss Sarah Schaefer, teacher of Latin in the Bedford high school, was found in a carriage house to day. She had been assaulted and robbed. The body was badly mutilated. Appearance indicated a terrific struggle with her assailant.

The mystery surrounding the murder of Miss Sarah Schaefer is still unsolved. The most important clue found so far is a wisp of moustache hair, wound in the clutches of the victim and upon this authorities are basing their investigation. A brick with which the wounds were inflicted has also been found covered with blood. A negro was said to have been seen near the alley where the assault was committed about the time Miss Schaefer left her boarding house. Bloodhounds were given the scent, but could follow it not more than fifty yards from the place where the body was found.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 22.—Judge Wilson said to night that in event of the murderer of Miss Schaefer being caught an attempt would no doubt be made to lynch him. A company of militia is being held in readiness to leave for Bedford should the occasion require.

## BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Jan. 22.—Total bank clearings compiled by Bradstreet's for the past week were \$2,110,825,803, a decrease of 11.8 per cent compared with the corresponding week last year.

## WRIGHT WILL RESIGN.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, to night authorized the statement he would resign at the end of this year. He will then remove to Worcester, Mass., where he will be president of Clark college.

## POLICE STOPPED FIGHT.

Baltimore, Jan. 22.—Police interfered in the tenth round and stopped the bout between Joe Grim, of Philadelphia, and Joe Gans. The latter agreed to put Grim out in six rounds.

## TRAIN HAD A LARGE BRAIN

### Weighed 53.8 Ounces a Little Heavier Than That of Webster.

New York, Jan. 22.—The body of George Francis Train was put on public view last night at the Merritt undertaking rooms. The coffin lay in the little chapel, surrounded by a half dozen floral pieces and a few scattered individual bunches of flowers. At the head stood a circle of red and white roses, bearing a card marked "Mills Hotel No. 1." and at the feet was a similar piece.

Dr. Edward C. Spitzka, who with Dr. Carleton Simon, Mr. Train's attending physician, made an examination of the dead man's brain, said that he had not yet studied the tissues microscopically. Superficially, he said, the brain was that of a normal man, except that in weight it exceeded the normal average. It weighed 53.8 ounces and takes twenty-sixth place in a list of brain weights of distinguished men tabulated by Dr. Spitzka.

Turnerhead heads the list with nearly 71 ounces, Benjamin F. Butler is sixth, with 62, and Daniel Webster thirtieth, with 53. The brain of the average man of Mr. Train's age and stature should weigh, according to Dr. Spitzka, 46 to 48 ounces. Dr. Simon said that the most striking thing about Citizen Train's brain was that it had not shrunk, a fact which indicated, he thought, unusual mental activity in a man of his advanced years.

Mr. Train's body remained on view until 10:30 to day, when a private funeral service was held.

## WASHINGTON NEWS

### HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The house to day passed 29 pension bills and also resolutions calling on the secretary of war and attorney general for information as to the number to horses and carriages maintained at government expense for officers of these respective departments. The bill permitting withdrawal of duty from the St. Louis exposition of articles donated to religious, scientific, educational or literary institutions also passed.

### SENATE.

The senate to day adopted the Gorman resolution of inquiry concerning affairs in Panama and listened to a speech on the subject of recess appointments. Doliver's speech was a defense of the president's course in Panama. As a precedent for the president's recognition of Panama Doliver showed President Pierce had recognized five revolutionary governments.

### CAPITAL NOTES.

The house committee on rivers and harbors to day decided there should be no river and harbor appropriation bill at the present session of congress.

Senator Gamble, from the committee on Indian affairs, to day made a favorable report on the bill ratifying agreement with Indians of the Lower Brule agency, South Dakota, for cession of a portion of their reservation at \$1.25 per acre.

### HORTICULTURE SOCIETY.

Bloomington, Jan. 22.—At a meeting of the executive board of the State Horticulture society held here to day it was decided to hold the convention in this city Dec. 14, 15 and 16. Exhibits of fruit which are to be made in connection with the convention will be shipped here in advance, where they will be placed in cold storage. The sessions will be held in the assembly room at the Illinois hotel.

### HOGS SELL HIGH.

Carlinville, Jan. 22.—George Aikens a farmer residing southwest of this city, marketed here to day nine head of hogs, all pigs of one litter, thirteen months old, and weighing 3,550 pounds, or an average of a fraction less than 450 pounds each. They brought their owner the sum of \$187.02.

### COLD WAVE WARNING.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Cold wave warnings have been ordered for western Minnesota, southeast Wisconsin and northeast Illinois.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The Bartenders' union met last evening and elected officers for the ensuing term. The secretary reported prompt action by the international body on the death claim of William Ratcliffe and the benefit was ordered paid to the widow of the deceased. The following officers were chosen: President—M. Wagner. Vice president—G. Murphy. Recording secretary—L. J. Horner. Financial secretary—E. M. Henderson. Treasurer—H. Norris. Chaplain—B. Graubner. Inspector—Edw. White. Guard—Robert Howard. Trustees—M. Brennan, J. W. Ricks, Charles Arenz.

Delegates trades assembly—J. W. Ricks, D. E. Ornelas, R. Wharton, R. Howard, Edw. White.

### A LIFE AT STAKE.

If you but knew the splendid merit of Foley's Honey and Tar you would never be without it. A dose or two will prevent an attack of pneumonia or is gripe. It may save your life. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City drug store.

## SWEPT BY A TORNADO

### AN ALABAMA TOWN ALMOST WIPED OUT

#### Twenty-Eight Persons Killed and More Than One Hundred Injured—Every Business House in Town Destroyed.

Boston, Jan. 22.—Senator Hanna contributes to the February number of the National Magazine an article on "Socialism and Labor Unions." He considers relations of labor and capital paramount issues to day and says the "instinct of workmen to band together to protect themselves is no more to be wondered at than the same instinct when shown on the part of capital." His plan is "to have organized union labor Americanized in the best sense and thoroughly educated to an understanding of its responsibilities and in this way to make it the ally of the capitalist, rather than a foe with which to grapple."

He says conditions have so changed in recent years that for every workman on an average there are now two jobs, "and it is expecting too much of human nature to suppose workmen shall not desire a larger share of the profits." Continuing, he says:

"Labor organizations may be open to sharp criticism at times, but it cannot be fairly stated that they are always wrong. If every man is treated as a man and appeal made to his heart, as well as to his reason, it will establish a bond of confidence as a sure foundation to build upon." He believes that labor unions "will prove a boon to our country when a proper basis of confidence and respect is established."

Discussing the question of socialism Hanna says: "Fairness and justice will never agree to confiscation of the products of one man's toil in order to insure comfort to the idle and worthless. No 'ism' is wanted by the American people that will take from any citizen just and equitable reward of his labor. Both capital and labor must yield in time to the great law of fair dealing, man to man. I wish I could impress upon every American the individual responsibility that rests upon each one of us. Every year of experience, every dollar of accumulated capital, every talent we possess, should be regarded as a sacred charge for good of the nation, to help in uniting interests of rich and poor, learned and unlearned."

## TROUBLE IN COREA

Washington, Jan. 22.—The situation in Corea is arousing fresh apprehension of renewed trouble in the far east. It has been the opinion of military experts here that in event of war between Russia and Japan Corea would be made the battleground at least in the beginning. Mr. Allen, American minister at Seoul, cabled the state department to day: "Considerable disturbances throughout Corea. Japanese have been attacked in many places."

It is learned that in view of possibility of Corea being unable to afford proper protection to Japanese subjects Tokio authorities have dispatched a Japanese military officer of the highest rank to Seoul, where he will be in a position to direct any military operations Japanese troops may undertake. The Korean government has 3,500 men under arms, but they have not been trained in the modern school of war and rather resemble constabulary than soldiers. It is anticipated here that Japan in Corea will repeat the performance to Russia in Manchuria and make disturbances on the Japanese railway ground for military occupation of the line in great force, corresponding to Russian occupation in the Manchurian railway.

Paris, Jan. 22.—Information reaching the foreign office during the last twenty-four hours shows definite improvement in the Russo-Japanese situation. The answer of Russia will be dispatched within the next two days. The question of limitation of Japanese settlements in Manchuria has been one of the most difficult under consideration.

London, Jan. 22.—A Seoul dispatch says the Japanese railway has been attacked by Koreans at several points along the Seoul-Pusan railway and that Korean authorities have been notified unless they prevent recurrence of disorders necessary steps to do so will be taken by Japanese troops.

## WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

Judge and Mrs. N. T. Mehan, of Mason City have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Edith Mehan, to Russell J. Sutton, which will take place Feb. 2. The prospective groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Sutton, residing northwest of Mason City. The young people are well known socially.

## GRANTED AMNESTY.

Constantinople, Jan. 22.—The sultan has ordered general amnesty be granted to Bulgarians and Macedonians who have been imprisoned for participation in disturbances last summer.

## TWO BOYS DROWNED

### Claud and Dick Getus of Pike County Lose Their Lives in Swollen Stream.

Pittsfield, Jan. 22.—A double drowning occurred yesterday evening about five o'clock in Little Honey creek, near the residence of Owen Bagby, about two miles west of Times. Claud and Dick Getus, one eighteen and the other thirteen years of age, sons of James Getus, were the victims. Mort Bagby, who was assisting them to cross the swollen stream, barely escaped with his life.

The two Getus boys attend school at Pleasant Grove, two and a half or three miles west of Times. They were on their way home after school and when they reached Little Honey creek they found it badly swollen by the rains and melting snow. Lawrence Bagby volunteered to help them across the stream and mounted a horse and crossed the stream. Both of the boys then got on the horse with Bagby and they started across again. When in the middle of the stream, the horse slipped and fell throwing all three into the water and falling on Bagby. The two Getus boys were washed down stream and lost. Bagby got out with great difficulty and, after giving the alarm, started down the stream to look for the boys. It was dark and the bodies were not recovered last night.

The bodies of the boys were found this morning about a half mile south of where they were drowned, where the small creek empties into Honey creek. Deputy Coroner C. W. Patterson has gone down to hold an inquest.

## CASE OF PRIEST

### The Cause of Excitement in the French Chamber of Deputies

Paris, Jan. 22.—The chamber of deputies was the scene of much excitement to day in connection with the case of Father Delsor, an Alsatian priest, expelled from France recently on the ground he was a foreigner seeking to foment agitation against the government. His expulsion has revived animosities growing out of the Franco-Prussian war, a considerable element of press and public asserting expulsion of Delsor as a foreigner marked final abandonment of Alsace to Germany.

Owing to the chamber taking up the question to day extra military and police precautions were taken inside and outside the Bourbon palace, as well as to protect the Strasburg statue and for suppression of disorder in the neighborhood of the German embassy.

The chamber was thronged and during debate speakers sought to make the issue one of the government's abandonment of Alsace. Premier Combes declared the agitation had the same theatrical character as Boulangerism. It was an effort to revive the expiring nationalist sentiment.

After long and heated discussion Combes intimated he would accept a motion by M. Sarrien as the order of the day with the understanding this should be taken to imply approval of the government's action. A division resulted in a ministerial victory, the vote being 250 to 235.

## A TRAVELING MAN'S EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Albert Eldredge, representing the Edgar Printing Co., Paris, Ill., says: "I used Harts' Honey and Horehound during the winter of 1901 and 1902 for a bad cold and la grippe. I found it an excellent medicine, which effected a cure in a short time." Our readers are invited to call on the druggist named below and secure a large sample bottle of this excellent medicine free. 25c, 50c and \$1 bottles sold by Lee P. Allcott.

## Carried His Room With Honor.

Harry Shupe, aged thirty, employed as a farm hand at Chardon, O., left last summer to secure a legacy, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. He returned recently. Shupe ordered a room with a fire at the Park hotel. The clerk informed Shupe that the fire would be extra. Then Shupe exhibited rolls of currency that dazzled the patrons of the hotel. The clerk entered Shupe's room later and found he had carpeted the room with bills of large denomination and was walking over them. Shupe admitted that he had fallen heir to \$80,000, but the source is unknown. "I have had a pretty good time the past few months," said Shupe, "but I intend to buy a farm before I blow in all of my roll."

## Now a Little Girl Acted Capd.

At a luncheon given the other afternoon at the St. Nicholas hotel in Cincinnati the engagement of Miss Gretchen McCurdy Gallagher, a young belle and talented violinist of Cincinnati, to Professor John Morris of Athens, Ga., was announced in a novel way. Says the Atlanta Constitution: "A little girl, naked excepting slight drapery, came gauge wings, representing Cupid, and of the coming marriage."

Fatal kidney and bladder troubles can always be prevented by the use of Foley's Kidney Cure.

## SOCIALISM AND LABOR UNION

### VIEWS OF SENATOR HANNA ON THE SUBJECT

#### Contributes One Article to the February Number of the National Magazine—Must Be Fair Dealing.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Jan. 22.—A disastrous tornado swept Moundville, Ala., a town of 200 inhabitants, to day. Twenty-eight persons were killed and more than one hundred injured. Every business house with exception of a small drug store was destroyed. The tornado struck Moundville from the southwest and mowed a path a quarter of a mile wide through the town. Whites killed:

E. P. SEYMOUR, Nashville, Tenn.  
A. H. WARREN, Birmingham.  
J. H. REDMOND, superintendent of the pumping station.

ROBERT S. POWERS, Tuscaloosa.  
MISS NETTIE FARLEY.

By force of the storm persons were blown hundreds of feet from their beds. Bedding, carpets and wearing apparel are scattered for a distance of ten miles through what was a forest, but which is now as clear as if cut by a woodman's axe.

Freight cars were torn to splinters, trucks being hurled hundreds of feet from the track. The depot, hotel, warehouses, gins, thirty homes and stores, together with their stocks, were completely destroyed. Where they stood it is impossible to find even pillars upon which these structures rested.

## FLOOD REPORTS

New York, Jan. 22.—A fog blanketed New York bay and harbor to day. Long Island sound was impassable except to the most powerful steamers. Scores of coastwise vessels and tugs were frozen in ice, which filled both rivers and harbor and ice in New York harbor placed three cities and all towns on the Passaic river below Passaic Falls in danger by flood, while one of the worst storms of the winter was still unspent. Sleet rendered walking dangerous for man or horse. Many cases of serious injury were reported.

Indianapolis, Jan. 22.—Ice in the White river carried off a houseboat occupied by John Schowe and wife. The boat was battered to pieces and Mrs. Schowe drowned. Schowe became crazed by the cold and Rollo Morrison, who went to his rescue, was forced to tie Schowe in a skiff. In the struggle Schowe threw Morrison overboard, but the latter was rescued.

Loraine, Ohio, Jan. 22.—Great loss has been caused here by heavy rains. The Nickel Plate railroad bridge has been washed away and all traffic on the road blocked. The shipyards of the American Shipbuilding company are under water. Many small vessels were wrecked. The B. & O. railroad will be a heavy loser.

Cleveland, Jan. 22.—An ice gorge broke above the city to day and a flood of water swept down the Cuyahoga river, tearing the big steamers John W. Moore, William E. Reis and James Eads from moorings. The vessels crashed into the drawbridge of the Superior street viaduct and were badly damaged. It is feared the foundation of the big bridge is seriously damaged.

Pittsburg, Jan. 22.—Reports received by the weather bureau to day indicate a general breakup in rivers. Ice gorges are letting go at different points and water is rising at the headwaters of both rivers. The weather is mild and rain reported from all sections of western Pennsylvania. All conditions favor a general flood. At this point the rivers are rising at the rate of nearly a foot an hour. The police department has patrols out notifying business houses in the threatened district.

## DEATHS.

Worthing, S. D., Jan. 22.—Edward D. Lewis, cashier and chief owner of the Farmers' and Merchants' bank, died to day of blood poisoning.

Freeport, Ill., Jan. 22.—Prof. Robert Stuart Page, superintendent of the Freeport public schools and prominent in educational circles in the west, is dead.

New York, Jan. 22.—Bishop Thomas Underwood Dudley, of Louisville, Ky., died here to day of heart disease.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Dr. Edmund Andrews, one of the oldest and most widely known physicians in the west, died to day. He was eminent as a scientist and in other fields than that of his own profession.

## IN BED FOUR WEEKS WITH LA GRIPPE.

We have received the following letter from Roy Kemp, of Angola, Ind.: "I was in bed four weeks with la grippe and I tried many remedies and spent considerable for treatment with physicians, but I received no relief until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar. Two small bottles of this medicine cured me and now I use it exclusively in my family." Take no substitute. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.



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## SAVED HIS FRIEND

A Lincoln Story of Early Illi-  
nois History Told.

Men who were associates of Abraham Lincoln—of whom there are several in Springfield and Sangamon county—as well as the general public and persons seeking Lincoln history, will be interested in a story recently told for the first time by an old associate of the immortal president. The story deals with Mr. Lincoln's fidelity to a friend and is as follows:

When congress passed the first internal revenue bill Mr. Lincoln appointed his old personal and political friend, Col. Turner R. King, of Springfield, as collector for that congressional district. A "foxy" old time political associate of Mr. Lincoln, who had a grievance to settle with Mr. Lincoln, conceived the idea of humiliating the president in the estimation of his Washington friends by whispering about among the prominent men of the party that Colonel King's habits were such as to render some liability of trouble to his bondsmen, whoever they might be, as he liked a little drink and a private game of draw poker and he would have large sums of money passing through his hands.

APPOINTEE WAS HUMILIATED.  
This whispering caused the personal and political friends of the colonel to stand back and they refused to go on his bond. This mortified the colonel, who was a man of the highest honor and most sterling integrity, to such an extent that he wrote President Lincoln and the commission of internal revenue, declining the appointment. He then shut himself up in his room, where a political opponent but warm personal friend found him and told him he had come as a personal friend to offer to make up his bond.

Colonel King was so overcome by this act of kindness that he shed tears. He replied: "It is too late, I have declined the appointment." Thereupon his friend said: "Telegraph recalling your letters and come to my office at 2 p. m. to day, when you will meet Judge Treat, who will qualify your bondsmen, who will all be of your personal friends." Colonel King met the judge, his friend and two others, who made up the bond. Before leaving the room the colonel said:

NAMED FRIEND AS DEPUTY.  
"Gentlemen, I want to make my first appointment of deputy now and I name this man as my first deputy," selecting the man who had arranged the matter. The latter said: "Colonel, my action was prompted by no selfish motive—simply an act of kindness to one I knew worthy of it and confidence and I prefer not to accept it." The colonel replied: "The appointment is made and no further discussion of it merits is to be had."

When the announcement of the appointment was made next morning a cry went up that reached Washington to the effect that Colonel King had sold out to the Democrats. A protest was sent to Senator Trumbull and the president. Senator Trumbull was asked to defeat his confirmation by the senate and the president was asked to remove Colonel King.

The colonel's friend whom he had made first deputy, knowing that a certain man in the city had at all times the entrée to the white house and the ear of the president, sent him that night to Washington to tell the president the whole story, which the friend did within an hour after he arrived in the city.

LINCOLN APPROVED THE ACT.  
When he finished the story Mr. Lincoln remarked: "You go back to Colonel King and say to him from me that the way to keep your friends is to stand by them; that he did exactly what I would have done and that I will see to it that he is confirmed."

Colonel King was confirmed and when the term for which he was appointed terminated he had a balance sheet prepared, showing all monies derived from the office by himself and expenses, which left a balance of quite a snug sum of money, which he divided by two. He then sent his check for one-half the amount to the man who had first gone to the front for him and who was so much surprised that he sent it back, telling the colonel that he had no right or claim on it. The colonel's reply was: "Except for you there would have been nothing to divide."

Colonel King was reappointed and served another term and no one had to lay awake at night on his account. He was an honest man and Mr. Lincoln knew him to be such.

## JUSTICE COURTS.

In Esquire Reid's court Frank Conley was fined the usual three dollars and costs for an ordinary drunk.

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## A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 639, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.

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## WAR ON TUBERCULOSIS.

A crusade against tuber- culosis will be inaugurated by the Illinois State Medical society at its next meeting to be held in Bloomington in May. Leading Chicago physicians will discuss the problems of prevention and cure, among the essayists being Dr. Frank Billings, Geo. W. Webster, H. N. Mayer, R. B. Prohle and Chas. M. Mix.

The first step in the war on consumption will be the gathering of data on the ravages of the disease in Illinois, the effect on different occupations on the health of a tubercular patient and the various methods of treatment.

In the opinion of members of the society, health can be regained in Illinois almost as well as in Colorado or other states, provided proper precautions are taken and the general advice of the society is followed. It is intended to make knowledge of the disease general, and to teach the people the necessity of prevention.

The society will seek the cooperation of the newspapers and "educate the public," as is explained by Chairman J. W. Pettit, of Ottawa, who yesterday issued the call for the meeting, to be held May 17 to 19. The call is as follows:

"There is no fact in medicine better established than that tuberculosis can be prevented and cured. Notwithstanding this, about one-seventh of the deaths from all causes are due to this disease. The mortality should not be greater than that of small pox, diphtheria or scarlet fever, and would not be the means at our command generally understood. We propose to spread this knowledge, for the education of the public.

"At the next meeting will be read essays of scientific and educational value. The statistical features will be confined to this state, and will include mortality, influence of climate, occupation, residence, city or country, and such other data as will be interesting. The symposium is preliminary to more active measures."

## FOR SICK AND NERVOUS PEOPLE.

We have a cure for nervous and unsteady people, weak, fleshless people, and pimply, pale or sallow people; people who are troubled with loss of ambition, failing memory, depression of spirits, lack of confidence, nervous headache and wakefulness, all these symptoms are produced by weak nerves brought on by the watery condition of the blood. Make strong, rich red blood, and furnish food for the nerves is the way to stop the source of disease, and cure them is only a question of days. The best flesh and food builder is Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic, in tablet form to take at meal time. Sells at 5c a box or three boxes for \$2, at all druggists. People gain from 1 to 2 pounds of solid healthy flesh per week, by the use of this medicine. This is an indication that it is doing good. Lee P. Allcott, Druggist, east side square.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Several deeds were placed on record Friday conveying land to the Springfield-Jacksonville Rapid Transit Co. for a right of way for an electric line. Deeds were filed from A. J. Bacon, J. W. Boston, J. W. Corrington, G. W. Foster, C. G. Jones, T. B. Orear, N. Orear, and the heirs of R. Ruble.

D. Manchester, by M. C. to W. C. for part net 4 6-16-8; \$14.00. Same to O. Butler, net 10-16-8; \$25.00.

## PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Barbara Johnson, deceased. Petition of H. R. and Jas. W. Johnson for probate of will. Hearing set for Feb. 15, 1904.

Estate of Henry Ricks, deceased. Widow's relinquishment and selection approved.

## CROUP.

The peculiar cough which indicates croup is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Do not waste valuable time in experimenting with untried remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed, and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale by all druggists.

## OIL KING'S RURAL HOME

Rockefeller's Country Seat to Be Like Baronial Estate.

## COSTLY IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED

Multimillionaire Is Going to Spend \$1,000,000 on His Property in Westchester County, N. Y.—His Wife's Love of Picturesque Scenery Prompts Vast Outlay—Fear of Fire Shown in Precautions.

The Standard Oil king, John D. Rockefeller, in beautifying his vast domain in the Pocantico hills in New York state to make it equal many of the great baronial estates of the old world and surpass some of the finest country seats in America is spending:

For a new mansion of the colonial style, to be built of brick and stone and fireproof throughout...\$300,000  
For a big reservoir to prevent in future any destructive fires on his estate...75,000  
For a deer range and game preserve to be stocked with the choicest of native species...125,000  
For a hunting lodge amid the wilds of the mountains...75,000  
For miles of drives, a chain of artificial lakes and French and Italian gardens connected by terraces...425,000

Total...\$1,000,000

Work is to start early the coming spring to make John D. Rockefeller's vast estate of 5,000 acres in the Pocantico hills of Westchester county, N. Y., the most beautiful country seat in America, says the New York American. One of the improvements will be a new mansion, to cost no less than \$300,000.

Although an army of workmen is employed on the Rockefeller estate all the year round, it will be re-enforced by more legions of laborers and artisans so soon as the frost is out of the earth in the spring.

The first thing done will be the breaking of ground for a colonial mansion, to be built of Philadelphia brick and trimmed with native stone. The exterior will correspond with the \$250,000 stone stable recently erected by Mr. Rockefeller.

It is the love of Mrs. Rockefeller for the wild and picturesque mountain scenery that has led the multimillionaire to decide upon the great improvements on his country home. There he and his wife expect to spend the greater part of their years after all is completed.

The details to be provided for fighting flames also show that John D. Rockefeller's greatest fear is of fire. Besides having the mansion made fireproof throughout, a reservoir to cost at least \$75,000 is to be built in Raven Rock mountain. It will furnish high pressure service, and Mr. Rockefeller will maintain a company of his own. His servants and employees will be drilled in the proper manner of handling the hose and fighting fires so as to prevent another conflagration like that which destroyed his manor house because of the lack of apparatus and drilled fighters.

In Sleepy Hollow valley Mr. Rockefeller will lay out four artificial lakes. These will be connected with miniature canals and surrounded by shaded drives and walks.

So far he has purchased about \$50,000 worth of trees, shrubs and rare plants with which to beautify his estate. Several agents are trying to buy five farms around Butternut mountain, as he proposes to make the mountain a game preserve and deer range. At the present time the mountain has been stocked with foxes, squirrels, quail and other birds, and the owner maintains a game warden to keep poachers away.

Surrounding the new mansion will be Italian and French gardens, connected with terraces, and on the steep summit of Kykuit hill a magnificent plaza will be laid out.

## The Talamancans of Panama.

The Talamancans are Indians of Panama, not far from the canal and about halfway across the isthmus, says the London Globe. They live almost in the primitive style of their ancestors in the days of Columbus and have little intercourse with whites beyond trading fowls and pigs for tobacco, trinkets and ammunition. They speak their ancient language and still use the blowgun and spear. They live in huts of palm thatch, with a number of domestic animals, for instance, the wild deer, peccary, tapir and even the tiger cat. They hunt, fish and cultivate Indian corn and cassava. They have more fear of an evil than faith in a good spirit, are polygamists, and their simple government is hereditary. Their king is a despot so far as custom or law permits, and their "soke" or medicine man, is lawyer, priest and doctor all in one. Their life is on the whole one of dreamy contentment. Apparently they are an inferior race to the Aztecs, who probably ruled them.

## New Religious Sect.

"To do God's will" is the simple and sole creed of a curious religious sect recently found in Charlestown, Mass., says a Boston dispatch. Its name is the Society of Christian Israelites, and the followers are scattered through Boston proper, Somerville, Medford and Roslindale. The leader is W. B. Bourner of Charlestown, and in his house is the place of worship of the sect. He said the other night that he and his followers believe the millennium will come in 1916, and at that time every living being on this planet will die excepting the chosen 144,000, who will inhabit Palestine. He added: "The true seed of Israel will have everlasting life, which means that they will live on earth for 1,000 years. At the end of that time they enter heaven."

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Peoria, daily	7:50 am
Peoria, daily	3:40 pm
Peoria, ac. frt., ex. Sunday	11:05 am
C. & A.	
Chicago-Peoria	6:00 am
Chicago, ex. Sunday	1:12 pm
Chicago-Peoria	5:48 pm
For Chicago	2:58 am
SOUTH AND WEST.	
J. & St. L.	
For St. Louis	7:06 am
For St. Louis	3:30 pm
C. & A.	
For Kansas City	10:06 am
For Kansas City and St. Louis	11:47 pm
For Kansas City	5:43 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	7:20 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	4:06 pm
For Roodhouse, ex. Sunday	6:32 pm
GOING WEST.	
Wabash	
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	7:04 am
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	8:53 pm
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	10:10 am
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	1:43 pm
GOING EAST.	
Wabash	
For Toledo	8:37 am
For Toledo	8:54 pm
For Toledo	9:30 pm
For Toledo	1:20 am
Time of arrival of trains:	
FROM NORTH.	
C. & P. & St. L.	
Peoria, daily	10:55 am
Peoria, daily	7:06 pm
C. & A.	
Chicago-Peoria, ac. frt., ex. Sunday	9:45 am
FROM SOUTH.	
J. & St. L.	
For St. Louis	11:00 am
For St. Louis	9:30 pm
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For Kansas City	8:10 pm

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## City and County

Miss Chelsea Worham is ill with tonsillitis.

Corn starch, 5c pkg. Claus.

Henry Scott, of Franklin, was in the city Friday.

J. A. Legg, of Pontiac, was here on business yesterday.

Hale, phones 74, Athens coal.

Clifford Scott was in Concord on business yesterday.

Fine Malaga grapes at Vickery &amp; Merrigan's.

Oliver Gallbraith is spending a few days in Pine Bluff, Ark.

Sweet cider at Weber's.

D. R. Selligman went to St. Louis on business yesterday.

For pure spices go to the National Tea Co.

Robt. Coith, of Normal, was a Friday visitor in the city.

GARLAND &amp; CO. have some nob. by patterns in single trousers.

Miss Viola Blimling is visiting home friends in Woodson.

Corn starch, 5c pkg. Claus.

Wm. Young was in Pike county on business interests yesterday.

CHAMBER SET SALE AT RAYHILL'S TO DAY.

Wm. Whalen, of Franklin, spent Friday in the city on business.

Fresh invoice of Heinz' sauer kraut and dill pickles at Weber's.

Buy Grimes' Golden apples at Moore Produce Co.

Wm. Woods went to New Salem yesterday on business interests.

Soda, 1lb pkg. 5c. Claus.

Frank Virgin, of Virginia, transacted business in the city Friday.

Corn starch, 5c pkg. Claus.

W. R. T. Masters, of Murrayville, was a Friday visitor in the city.

Hale, phones 74, Athens coal.

A. J. Tunnell, of Carrollton, transacted business in the city yesterday.

ROUGH RIDER stockings for boys at GARLAND &amp; CO.

Joseph Lombard, of Waverly, was in Jacksonville on business Friday.

A box of chocolates from Vickery &amp; Merrigan's is the proper thing.

Miss Emma Hunter, of Sinclair, was trading in the city yesterday.

CHAMBER SETS TO DAY AT RAYHILL'S.

H. C. Becker, of Red Bud, Ill., was in Jacksonville on business Friday.

Soda, 1lb pkg. 5c. Claus.

George Blimling, of Concord, went to Kansas City on business interests Friday.

Hale, phones 74, Athens coal.

W. J. Johnson, of Galesburg was a Friday visitor in the city on business.

Cakes made while you wait at Vickery &amp; Merrigan's.

Allie Brien, of Lowder, returned Friday after several days spent in the city on business.

SPORT KNEE PANTS for boys at GARLAND &amp; CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Way, of Virginia, were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

For best coffee go to the National Tea Co.

Peter Mills and sister, of Mt. Sterling, were here yesterday attending the Rossier funeral.

Soda, 1lb pkg. 5c. Claus.

Mr. Calhoun the well known grain man of Franklin, was a Friday business visitor in the city.

Corn, oats, hay and straw in any quantity. Harrigan Bros., No. 9, either phone.

Milton E. Stout, who is employed at the Diamond Grove cemetery, and who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Progress Lodge No. 43, M. A. F.

O. will give an entertainment in the A. O. U. W. hall Thursday evening, Jan. 25.

Come in and see our CHAMBER SETS we have on SALE TO DAY.

Miss Nettie Loftus is again able to be at her post in the popular book store of F. L. Ledford, after an illness of some days.

All the man or boy needs for the season cheapest at Knoles.

You will like Claus' Cafe Java coffee only 20c lb.

The Fortnightly will meet this evening at 6 o'clock with Mrs. William Tullock Wilson on West State street.

Fancy stiff bosom shirts that were \$1 and \$1.50 for 69c and \$1 at GARLAND &amp; CO.

Frank Jensen has returned from California where he has been practicing osteopathy. He will remain here for an extended visit.

Knoles' for clothing.

A few barrels of Grimes Golden apples for sale cheap. Moore Produce Co.

Nancy Hanks, the well known grey mare driven by W. S. Cannon, has ended her days of usefulness and the loss is keenly felt by the owner.

You will like Claus' Cafe Java coffee only 20c lb.

B. M. King, who has been giving entertainments in different parts of the city expected to leave yesterday for Louisville, Ky.

For pure extracts go to the National Tea Co.

Miss Mary Crum has been removed from her rooms in the opera house where she was taken suddenly ill to Our Savior's hospital.

Miss Edith Thompson, of North Dakota, is visiting friends in this city in which she formerly resided. She is a daughter of A. M. Thompson, well known to many here.

This is a cold day but if you get one of those overcoats at Knoles you will be comfortable.

Julius Selligman has been obliged to again give up and go to Chicago on account of his health but he hopes this time to get back again before a very long time.

You will like Claus' Cafe Java coffee only 20c lb.

Thos. Cain was among the visitors from this section who attended the "Ben Hur" performance at the Chatterton opera house in Springfield Thursday evening.

For pure baking powder go to the National Tea Co.

Mrs. Whit M. Grant, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. M. Hockenhull and family and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Weagley, has returned to her home in Oklahoma, City.

The great breakfast drink is Claus Cafe Java coffee, 20c lb.

Philip Polycar, who has been a patient at Our Savior's hospital for several weeks returned home Friday.

Mr. Puyear received an injury to his eye recently and it was of such a severe nature that the member had to be removed. He was under the care of Dr. A. L. Adams.

Just what you need at Knoles.

Dr. Grey, owner of the opera house, was down from Peoria yesterday, and stated to a Journal reporter that three fire escapes had been ordered for the opera house and were now being constructed and he expected shortly to put them in place and make other needed improvements in the manner indicated for the sake of safety.

Best bargains in clothing, Knoles.

Two work trains carrying men and materials came over the Wabash railroad from Concord Friday morning and Friday afternoon commenced work on this end of the Jacksonville &amp; Concord railroad. They have been working out from Concord and will now work from this city until the line is completed between the two points.

There were forty cars of sand, several cars of rip-rap and other materials, while the force of workmen numbered about seventy-three.

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1.25 and 1.50 gowns.....	98c	1.50 and 2.00 skirts.....	1.19
1.50 and 1.75 gowns.....	\$1.19	35c drawers.....	23c
2.00 gowns.....	1.39	50c drawers.....	39c
2.50 gowns.....	1.69	75c drawers.....	59c
25c and 35c corset covers.....	19c	\$1.00 drawers.....	69c
75c corset covers.....	49c	1.25 drawers.....	98c
50c Skirts.....	35c	1.50 drawers.....	\$1.19
75c skirts.....	49c		

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## AT CENTENARY SUNDAY.

The Rev. Dr. E. L. Fulkerson, president of our Chinese seminary at Nagasaki, Japan, is now in this country. He is an authority on the situation in Japan, and is conversant with all the facts in the controversy between Russia and Japan. Dr. Fulkerson says:

"The greatest calamity that could befall the orient would be the subjugation of Japan by Russia. Japan is the strongest factor for civilization in Asia. Wherever Russia goes she kills civilization and shuts the door to the commerce of the world. Just now Japan is the foremost obstacle between Russia and China. All the orient and most of the rest of the world know that Russia's ultimate design is to absorb China. With Japan out of the way, the United States and England must interpose to stop Russia's advance. With Russia in possession of China, all that great empire with its 425,000,000 people will be closed to the commerce of the world. The United States must stand with England to prevent this. America cannot expect to share in the commerce of the world unless she helps to police the world."

It will be a rare privilege for Jacksonville people to be able to hear so distinguished a scholar as Dr. Fulkerson. He will preach Sunday morning at Centenary.

## TO NIGHT.

Not the least of the successes which Augustus Thomas, journalist and playwright, has given to the stage is Arizona. The play already an established favorite here, thrills with the vigor of western life, and is deemed both romantic and realistic by local and other critics. Arizona, with a company consisting principally of the best members of last season's cast, will be seen at the Grand to night.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The sermon Sunday evening will be the second in the series on "Last Things." Subject of sermon, "What Jesus Said as to the Resurrection of the Dead." Stereopticon illustrated song, "Abide With Me." Morning sermon at 10:30 an dinner preparation for the coming Seville meetings. All are welcome.

## SNOW AROUND US.

Four inches of snow fell in Springfield early Friday morning and the fall extended as far west as Curran. The Wabash sleeper from the east which went through here on the 1:43 train looked as though it had come through a snow drift. The train on the J. &amp; St. L. from the north also had evidence of a snow storm.

## A THRILLING EXPERIENCE

S. O. Shuff has about forty-five head of cattle and horses on his farm north of the city and as they were on a low place in danger of being overflowed by the high water Wednesday night, he telephoned his man on the farm to cut the fence and drive the stock out of the field they were in to higher and safer ground as they might suffer and possibly die from exposure. The man replied that he would do so and Mr. Shuff went away from the city to see his daughter, who lives near the Point but when he returned in the evening about six, he asked his man if the stock had been removed. The reply was that the cattle were out but the horses couldn't be driven though a saddle animal was at hand. Mr. Shuff was in anything but good humor over such an answer and told the man to be ready to help him get the stock out as soon as he could ride over to the farm. The man made some excuse which added to Mr. Shuff's state of mind and he mounted a horse and started for the place. It was so dark he could hardly see his horse's ears and had to work his way along by the tree tops and any way he could. The creek was over the road and small streams out of their banks, but he careful work he managed to reach the place and a shout was answered by the cattle in trouble. The man had cut the fence but had not removed an animal and it was only by the hardest work that Mr. Shuff accomplished the task. He followed the corn rows and at last came to the animals standing on the highest part of the field but in several feet of water and in danger of drowning or perishing from exposure. He started the cattle out first but they were bewildered and went about in a circle for a good while but at last he accomplished it and then turned his attention to the horses which he at last succeeded in getting to a place of safety. All this was in the dense darkness of Wednesday night and the task was anything but easy.

## THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all the kind friends who stood so faithfully by us and showed us so much sympathy during our recent bereavement. Mrs. F. E. Hackman and family.

## BQX SOCIAL.

The Epworth League of Brooklyn M. E. church held a box social at the church Friday evening which was largely attended. The evening was spent in a very pleasant manner and the committee in charge are deserving great credit for the successful program arranged.

## SOUTH SIDE CIRCLE.

The South Side circle met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Weir Elliott and had current news for their subject, leader, Mrs. J. J. Reeve. The topic was divided, several ladies taking a part in an interesting and instructive manner. They were:

Outcome of Chicago Fire, Miss Goodrick.

Government of Hospitals, Mrs. J. R. Davis.

Radium, Mrs. H. L. Griswold.

## Philippine Land Settlement, Mrs. R. Baldwin.

Religious Current News, Mrs. Lane.

Russia and Japan and Their Present Difficulties, Mrs. Linn.

Current News, Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. David Reid.

After the program had been rendered excellent refreshments were served by the hostess ably assisted by Mrs. Couch and son of the Insane hospital. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Follansbee.

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The condition of the Democratic party, or rather the people calling themselves Democrats, is amusing to say the least. The various wings or camps into which they are divided are almost as hostile to each other as the worst sort of foes. The Democrats in the east deplore the populist tendencies of the western men while the latter denounce the only man elected since 1850 as the worst of all traitors to the organization. The south and the east are trying to get together and here again they are apart. The doctrinaires who study from the inside of their libraries how the world should be run are against the administration on the Panama canal question while the south sees in the measure something wisest and best for the nation and especially their part of it. Denouncing trusts and gigantic corporations Gorman and his ilk all over the land in obstructing the Panama canal are playing directly into the hands of the great trans-continental railroads which have all along secretly fought the project of an isthmian waterway which would of necessity be against their interests and they doubtless laugh in their sleeves at a little matter in which the Democrats of the country are playing the roll of cat's paw for the giant corporations. Many are pretending to think the administration did wrong in the Panama deal but are at a loss to understand how the other nations of the earth sanction the acts of our president and secretary of state.

The Democratic organ of this county sings an anti-Panama song and Hon. H. T. Rainey, representative from this district in a speech in the house of representatives approves what has been done. Claiming to be for the dear people, the great masses, the common people, the people who carry a dinner pail and earn their bread by the sweat of their brow, and oppose trusts, men who promote them, an organization is forming in this state to nominate the multi-millionaire who is just forming one of the biggest newspaper trusts on the continent to further his interests and aspirations, and so afraid of him are the other fellows that after it had been virtually decided that the national Democratic convention should be held in Chicago, they suddenly switched it to St. Louis to get it away from a place where he might have too many howlers in the galleries to create a stampede to him. Then when it seemed as if Bryan had been effectually shelved he bolts up serenely and insists the Kansas City platform with all its vagaries and absurdities must still be the declaration of the principles to which the Democratic party should adhere. This sends the cold chills down the spines of the eastern men who had fondly hoped that the ghosts of free silver and anti-imperialism had been effectually downed and wouldn't rise any more to torment them. While the Nebraska man will not be a candidate he has enough influence left to make a big stir yet and he represents a following without which the Democratic ticket cannot be elected and it will never play second fiddle to any man representing the views held by Cleveland and the men of his class. On what they will get together it is indeed hard to say. With refreshing frankness the Courier admits it will be hard enough to select a Democratic president this fall and as the idea of November draw near the prospect will become still gloomier. They try to arouse a spirit of distrust in the president and declare there is no telling what foolish things he may do. It will have to be admitted that he has been in the lead for some time without making any serious mistakes and at the same time has done a great many very wise things so that the hue and cry about the uncertainty of his acts reminds one of the little boy who was found crying bitterly and when asked the reason said between his sobs that he was thinking how dreadful it would be if he should have a little baby sister and she should grow big enough to crawl into the oven and be burned to death. If we are to judge by the past the president will make no foolish breaks but will go right on doing the best for the country and the Democrats will exhaust their resources trying to get together.

JUSTICE WILL BE DONE.  
Carlinville Democrat: Even the politicians are now busy assigning reasons why Governor Yates will be renominated and re-elected. But the best reason is the people are for him because they know he has made a good governor, and is clean and honest and that the only reason there is any objection is because a few politicians want the job. But in Illinois, as in the nation, there is an all powerful sentiment among the people for fair play and they propose to see to it that justice is done an efficient official.

PERPETUAL POLITICIANS AGAINST HIM.  
Quincy Whig: The perpetual politicians are against Yates. They were against him in 1900; they have been against him ever since. It is not to the interests of the perpetual politicians for the people to elect delegates and nominate governors. This should be done by the "better" and "wiser" element, consisting of a few who for years did the business in Adams county without accomplishing anything for the Republican party of this county in the politics of Illinois.

### AN OPEN SWITCH

Two Burlington Locomotives were Derailed—Traffic Delayed.

A Burlington freight train with two engines, forty-two empties and two loads, ran into an open switch at the Wabash passenger depot Friday evening about 8:40 o'clock and delayed traffic for over an hour. The train was running at the usual rate and was cut in from the main line just west of the North Church street crossing to take the passing track. Just opposite the water tank is the switch post which cuts in from the passing track to the sand track and was a split switch. It is probable that the switch joint was bent or broken and this caused the wheels on one side of the engine to take the sand track and the other side the passing track. The result was that both engines were derailed. The engineers realized in a moment that they were off the ties and reversed their engines and applied the air, but the momentum of the cars behind them was such that the locomotives plunged along for thirty or forty feet before they were stopped. The first engine number 1376 straddled the sand and passing tracks and the second engine, number 1372, landed between the passing track and the south of the sand track. The first engine was in charge of Engineer Herman and Fireman Brown and the second engine was in the hands of Engineer Berry and Fireman Hillis. Conductor Quigg was in charge of the train.

The Wabash passenger, due here at 8:54, was just behind the freight and a flagman was at once sent back as next of the Burlington train was still on the main track. The condition of affairs blocked the passenger train and after taking in the situation it was decided to run the passenger train back, detach the engine and go back for the freight train, all but one car, the one next to the engine of which had remained on the track. It was exceedingly difficult for one small passenger engine to attempt the work of two heavy freight engines, but after considerable puffing and blowing the attempt was successful. In pulling back the empty freight cars one of them was derailed and caused considerable delay. Finally however the passenger engine pulled the cars past the station and set them in on the upper end of the passing track. The passenger train was then brought up to the station and left here an hour and twenty minutes late.

The J. & St. L. officials were notified of the accident and Yardmaster Paterson superintended the work of getting the engines onto the track again. With the assistance of the J. & St. L. engines and wrecking tools at hand the Burlington locomotives were again placed on the rails and the track cleared. The work required several hours.

### THE BIRTH RECORD.

A fine young son has come to gladden the home of Prof. and Mrs. W. A. Hoblit, and without a doubt the young man's father will have the honor of naming him. The child was born at the far west possibly next summer and most certainly the season after and in due time he will be able to shoot a mountain sheep on top of a great eminence or explore the most remote residence of the pre-historic cliff dwellers.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Corey, of Colorado Springs, a daughter.

### CENTENARY REVIVAL.

The revival service at Centenary church Friday was full of deep interest and Rev. A. L. T. Ewert preached from the text, "How Shall We Escape if We Neglect so Great Salvation." The attendance was the largest of the week and there were three conversions. The meetings will continue next week and a revival service will be held Sunday evening. The meetings seem to be growing in interest and a splendid spirit prevails.

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### FINE HORSE INJURED.

George Wood, of Franklin, had his fine driving mare badly injured one day last week in a runaway. The horse was hitched to a cutter and was standing in front of his residence when it suddenly took fright at something the wind was blowing over the snow. The horse broke away from the hitching post and in its mad run plunged through a barbed wire fence, badly cutting itself and smashing up the sleigh considerably.

### V. M. C. A. NOTES.

J. W. Breckon will speak at the B. G. M. Sunday afternoon.  
On account of the union meeting at State Street church there will be

### no men's meeting in the association rooms.

The junior department will give a masquerade social Tuesday evening, Jan. 26 to the members of the B. G. M. and association.

### ENTERTAINED CLUB.

The members of the Booneville club and their wives were entertained very pleasantly Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lorton. The elaborate banquet was a special feature and this was followed by dancing. The occasion was an especially happy one.

### POLICE NEWS.

J. Miller was arrested by Policeman Preston for drunkenness.



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Yard wide muslins worth 6c for 4 1-2c.  
Yard wide muslin worth 8c, 6 1-2c.  
Yard wide muslins worth 10c for 7 3-4c.  
Men's, women's and children's underwear worth 50c for 35c.  
Ladies' cloaks worth \$18.00 for \$7.75.  
Ladies' cloaks worth \$12.50 for \$5.00.  
Children's cloaks worth \$10.00 for \$4.50.  
Children's cloaks worth \$6.00, 3.25 for \$1.75.  
Children's cloaks worth \$3.50 for \$1.98.  
Ladies' trimmed hats worth \$12.50 for \$5.00.  
Ladies' trimmed hats worth \$8.00 for \$3.98.  
Ladies' trimmed hats worth \$6.00 for \$2.75.  
Ladies' trimmed hats worth \$4.00 for \$1.75.

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**Muslin Sale:** To make this sale doubly interesting, we will continue our muslin sale another week at prices far below present cost of production. You want to take advantage of this great fire and smoke sale as all goods will be considerably higher afterward.



## City and County

Mrs. J. B. Johnson, who has been ill for several days is improving.

George Schaaf, a Franklin business man, was one of Friday's visitors.

Mr. Shelley, of Ogden, Utah, is expected in the city to day to spend several days.

The great breakfast drink is Claus Cafe java coffee, 20c lb.

John Rule, of the Dunlap, was expected back last night from a Chicago business visit.

Watch the reductions Knobs is making in cold weather goods now.

Miss Dorothy Yates is here from Springfield visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wadsworth.

The great breakfast drink is Claus Cafe java coffee, 20c lb.

Mrs. E. C. Coe and son, George, left for Chicago yesterday having been summoned on account of the illness of Mrs. Coe's sister.

Remember this is the LAST DAY of our CHAMBER SET SALE. Don't fail to get one of the bargains we are offering in this sale. HAYHILLS.

Miss Erla Rottger writes her friends here that the opera company with which she is connected has been singing in Oregon and that she has enjoyed a sleigh ride in the woods of that far off part of the country and had been presented with an arrow by an Indian. She has been taking the place of the prima donna with success and was still in that role when writing. The company is shortly to fill an engagement of two weeks in San Francisco and then start east for an engagement in St. Louis. Many in Jacksonville will rejoice in the eminent success of the talented young lady.

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## GAVE EUCHE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Brown of Webster avenue entertained at euche last night very handsomely. The guests numbered about eighty and several hours were very happily spent.

Mrs. Walter Ayers and Mr. Harry Hall won the first prizes, Miss Alice Turley and Mr. F. J. Andrews the second prizes. At 11 o'clock a collation was served and it was as generous as were the plans for all other arrangements. This was the first of a series of social functions to be given at the Brown home.

## WEDDING AT ASHLAND.

The marriage of Henry Walbaum, of Alexander, and Miss Emma Hann, of Ashland, will take place Tuesday morning, Jan. 26, at St. Augustine's Catholic church in Ashland. Rev. Father Maskell, pastor of the church, officiating.

Miss Hann is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hann, and is one of Ashland's most accomplished young women. After the ceremony a wedding dinner will be served at the home of the bride, four miles south of Ashland.

## A FAVORABLE RECOMMENDATION.

Mr. H. J. Keeler, publisher of the Press, Maiden Rock, Wis., writes, "Allow me to say that I have recently used a bottle of Hart's Honey and Horchound and found it a valuable remedy for a cold or cough. I have personally recommended it in several cases and hear a good word from all." When our readers need a reliable medicine for Colds, Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough there is no other so satisfactory as Hart's Honey and Horchound. Large bottles 25c, 5c and \$1. Sold by Lee P. Alcott.

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## THE JOINT DEBATE

## THE QUESTION OF THE REFERENDUM MAY BE CONSIDERED SETTLED

## The Decision Was Given to the Phi Alphas in Favor of the Negative.

Gymnasium hall was well filled Friday night, as is generally the case when the young people of Illinois college are to appear. The annual joint debate between the Phi Alpha and Sigma Pi societies is an event to which all friends of the college look forward with great interest and the young men are always sure of an enthusiastic audience. The question on this occasion was: "Resolved, That the principle of referendum should be introduced in our governmental system." The Sigma Pi society held the affirmative and the Phi Alpha the negative. Rev. F. S. Hayden, D. D., presided and offered an earnest invocation, after which the mandolin club favored the audience with a selection admirably rendered and which was loudly applauded.

The chairman then stated the question and announced the speakers, who were cheered to the echo as they appeared. On the affirmative were E. T. Brown, '06; L. N. Wylder, '04; E. P. Brockhouse, '04. Negative, C. M. Eames, '04; E. D. Martin, '04; M. T. Kennedy, '04. Summary speakers, E. D. Martin, E. P. Brockhouse.

The first speaker, E. T. Brown, drew a dark picture of the present state of affairs. Men are elected to office through the use of money, rings and monopolies rule the people with a rod of iron and permit the voters no voice in the management of affairs. Machines run all elections and men owe their offices not to the voters but to the party bosses. Legislators sell out to the rich corporations, who buy the lawmakers right and left. Hence the urgent need of a change. The referendum would certainly cure all this and secure honest lawmakers.

C. M. Eames was first on the negative. The affirmative must prove that the governmental system needs reforming and that the referendum would do it. Switzerland alone uses the referendum. It is small, a fourth the size of Missouri; the people are few and peculiarly intelligent and many features of the government favor it and yet judged by reasonable standards is a failure. But a very small part of the people there vote on questions, sometimes but 9 per cent, and never has a law been ratified by a majority of the people. So foolish have been many of the decisions of the Swiss people that the system has been well declared a failure. There they are educated, but in our land we have millions of illiterates. In some of the cantons they pass but five measures a year, while here we sometimes pass 2,000. Take a common sense view of the facts. How few even of the educated people keep in touch with the lawmakers, how much less the masses, many unlearned and indifferent. The ordinary man cannot keep posted on all the measures. Congress has 2,000 a year and our legislatures 500 to 600 each year, making the referendum absolutely impracticable and unwise to introduce it.

L. N. Wylder came next. He read from a college president who had traveled in Switzerland and found the referendum a success. The people here have no voice in affairs; the voter has no choice except to cast a ballot for a devil or a witch. There never was a time in the history of our government when reform was so much needed as now and the referendum will provide a means of reform. Trusts are necessary, but nothing can control them but the referendum. To day an honest man dare not run for an office. The legislator will risk the penitentiary or political defeat to accept a bribe, which would be cured by the referendum. Where the referendum is lawful it has not been used. Put the veto power into the hands of the people and they would post themselves and investigate. Trusts buy up press and lawmakers and use them as tools. Our government is a political nondescript and the referendum

would cure it and that only. The people are honest and cannot be bought.

E. D. Martin came next. The last speaker cited three western states which had adopted the referendum with great satisfaction, but the fact is it is hardly operated at all in one of them; it has been virtually defeated by the legislature and the people are too indifferent to see that they have it. The gentleman could not name a single law passed by the last legislature which the people would have voted. Many of the laws are purely local and it would be impossible to judge of them. The searchlight is now turned on the legislative measures by opposite political parties and brought before the people in that way. To show the indifference of the people take the various constitutional amendments submitted. Hardly any passed because the people didn't even vote on them, and the referendum was one of them. The people have it fully in their power to stop corruption if we will take the trouble, as was well proved by the Allen law, which defeated at the next election nearly all the men who voted for it. Under the referendum the people would be the ones regarded responsible and the lawmakers would care far less because they are the ones to pass on them. Then, too, laws are discussed in the legislature and amended, but the people must vote yes or no.

E. P. Brockhouse spoke for the affirmative. He read from the governor of Dakota largely sustaining the referendum. Switzerland has been greatly improved by the referendum. Our government is sunk in the lowest depths; our state and city legislatures are venal and the tools of corruptionists. The people's rights are owned by machines and corporations; corruption and bribery are growing; the national congress is in the same category; the referendum would cure it all. Reformers now go too far and so corruption returns stronger than ever, as has been shown in the recent election in New York, where evil and wickedness have returned to power. The referendum would have cured this. It took a threat of violence to ward off a bad law in Chicago. Government by the people in our country is a failure which would be cured by the referendum.

M. T. Kennedy spoke for the negative. The affirmatives have claimed great corruption and have said the referendum would cure it, but have not proved. In actual fact the system is not in vogue in the three western states named by the affirmative. We cannot have good government here until we elect good men and this the referendum would not accomplish. Our government is stable; it has grown steadily and is a bulwark of liberty and is not in the condition claimed by the affirmative. The introduction of the referendum would undermine this. The supreme court stands between the people and bad laws. Should the people ratify a bad law it would be in direct conflict with the highest tribunal in the land. If the supreme court of a state, elected by the people, were confronted by a bad law approved by them it would hesitate long before pronouncing against it. Several authorities in support of this position I quote. Destructive tendencies would at once appear and the constitution would be dragged down to the lowest level. In this time when we are flooded with millions from the lower population of Europe; when unrest exists; when classes are arrayed against each other and the virus of socialism is increasing, we should move slowly in any change which would undermine the power of the constitution.

E. D. Martin summed up for the negative. The gentlemen brought up New York. What can we say for a city that would deliberately put Tammany into power? If the referendum is such a good thing, why didn't the people vote it into the constitution when they had a chance? How can we expect the referendum to remedy bad legislation when the people will not take the trouble to elect good men, as is claimed? The constitution would be broken down by this change. The other side dare not go into particulars with Switzerland, for the referendum is not a success there.

E. P. Brockhouse closed for the affirmative. The referendum is a great thing in Dakota and Switzerland. Our government is noted the world over for its rottenness, which would be cured by the referendum, which would secure better lawmakers

and prevent future ills. It is wanted by the people and they should have it. If the people do not rule the corporations will and they rob the people at every turn. Shall we permit the declaration of independence to be dragged in the dust? Shall we permit future generations to curse us for neglect of duty. Shall we let the work and toil of our forefathers go for naught? If not then we must adopt the referendum and have government by the people.

Each speech was greeted with hearty applause and the audience was attentive and enthusiastic. While the judges were handing in their decisions the mandolin club played with great acceptance.

In a felicitous manner Dr. Hayden announced the decision in favor of the negative and—well, you have been there and know the rest.

The debate was one of the best that was ever conducted on the hill. Both sides did admirable, showing careful study of the question and fine ability as speakers and they did credit to the respective societies to which they belong.

## The latest advanced styles of spring millinery can already be seen at Herman's, Jacksonville's Leading Milliner.

## PHI ALPHAS CELEBRATE.

After the joint debate last night the Phi Alphas adjourned to Vickery & Merrigan's where they enjoyed a feast in honor of the victory won. In addition to the active members of the society honorary members, C. M. Brown, was present and past members, Rev. Joseph Harker, Joseph Winterbottom and S. W. Nichols. The good things on the bill of fare were disposed of with good appetites and then came the literary part of the affair.

President Martain appointed S. W. Nichols toastmaster and the following sentiments were responded to by the several persons named:

Rev. C. M. Brown—"When I Was a Student."

Dr. Harker—"The Tide in the Affairs of Men."

Eames—"How it Feels to be a Victor."

Balcke—"What I Know About Speaking."

Kennedy—"Music Hath Charms."

Martin—"Our Future D. D."

Cowdin—"Echoes From Joy Prairie."

Winterbottom—"The Best Season of All."

Ewart—"From Circuit Rider to Bishop."

Post—"The Mountain High Will Haste to Fly From Its Firm Base as Soon as I."

Lane—"It's a Long Lane That Has No Turn."

On such occasions it is customary to adjourn with loud cheers for the society and the victors but it was changed this time in honor of the memory of Brown McVaine, a beloved member who recently passed away, and a committee was appointed to prepare resolutions on behalf of the society and forward them to the family of the deceased brother.

## Good reading for Sunday, Elite Library. Ledferd's book store.

## WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

Invitations have been received by friends announcing the approaching marriage of Levin D. Laning and Miss Jessie I. Butt, both of Kansas City. The wedding will be solemnized Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin W. Butt. Mr. Laning is well known in this city where he formerly attended Illinois college. He is a son of C. B. Laning, president of the First National bank of Petersburg and a relative of Mrs. E. C. Lambert and T. P. Laning, of this city. He is engaged in the coal business.

## PRINCE OF PILSEN.

The Grand will have a rousing affair on Tuesday night, Jan. 26, at which time Henry W. Savage's "Prince of Pilsen," the famous Pixley and Luders musical comedy, which has created something of a furore in the east, will be seen here again.

Mr. Savage sends a metropolitan cast, at the head of which are Miss Trixie Friganza, Mr. Jess Dandy, Mr. Arthur Donaldson, etc., with a splendid company throughout. It is one of the strongest organizations that has yet come from the multitude of the Savage forces. The Prince of Pilsen is by odds one of the most brilliant musical comedies that has ever been given to the country. The entire production is newly costumed, and abounds in scenic splendor.

## The kindergarten board will hold an all day market at Ray-hill's china store Saturday.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY.

The T. C. P. T. Mandolin club gave a party at the home of Elmer Barter in honor of his 18th birthday Thursday evening. The evening was spent in music and games and at a late hour refreshments were served. Mr. Barter was the recipient of many nice presents.

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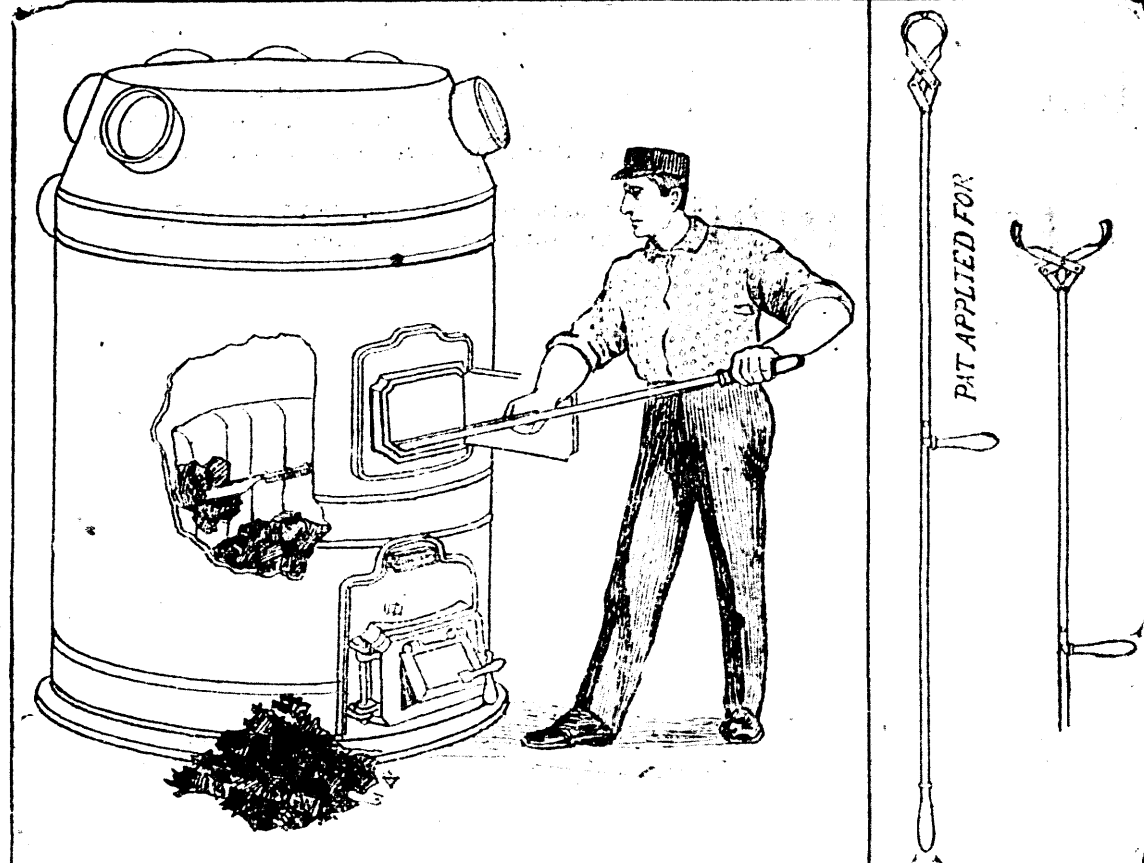
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## A GIRL MASQUERADER.

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## HIGH ROLLER ON MONTANA RANCH

"Percy," Threatened With Consumption, Courted a Girl—Cold Caught During a Drive Ended Disgrace. Wanted to Be a Baseball Player, but Could Not Bat.

"Back to the mines, Percy!" is a salutation with certain of the younger "smart set" of Louisville, Ky., which never failed to throw one of the ruddiest, most athletic appearing young women of the "set" into confusion. Three years ago, when she left Louisville, it was with signs of the grip of the "white plague" upon her constitution. Almost nothing had been known of her doings from that time, except that her friends were informed in a general way that she was "in the mountains," says a Louisville special to the New York Commercial Advertiser.

Up somewhere in a rough Montana country a rancher's daughter sits with shattered hopes and mourns the loss of a handsome, dashing "young swell" known all over the ranges as a "good fellow" and "no tenderfoot." She had spent many pleasant hours with "him" and cast languishing eyes and dwelt on the thought of the hour when "he" would propose the all important question—or, if "he" didn't, leap year was not so far away. Then there was that last ride!

If "Percy Pilcher" had not caught cold the facts would not have come out yet in all probability, and Percy and the Montana maiden would have whiled the blissful hours away, while Louisville, the wealthy organ manufacturer's daughter, who was "in the mountains for her health."

That the supposed consumptive girl has pushed ore cars in the copper mines, served as a waiter in a miners' boarding house, herded cattle on a ranch, lost a year's earnings in one game of poker and achieved a reputation at billiards the remarkable story of the three years' role as "Percy Pilcher" records. If any suspicion as to the genuineness of the character was raised it was quickly met by some act that seemed incontrovertible. When the tenderfoot had first arrived "he" was made to bear the brunt of many jokes, but took them all good naturedly and soon was ranked among "the boys." Percy became as much of a high roller as any.

## QUAY'S GRATITUDE.

Senator Remembers a Descendant. How He Was Named Stanley.

Eugene Stanley, borough clerk of Bridgeport, near Norristown, Pa., has resigned a clerkship in the Philadelphia and Reading railway office to accept a \$1,200 job in the department of the interior at Washington, says the Philadelphia Ledger.

The appointment, which came to Mr. Stanley as a Christmas gift, is credited with being secured by Senator Quay to repay a debt of honor which he owed Eugene Stanley's grandfather.

Matthew Stanley Quay, United States senator, was born in Lancaster county, near the home of Matthew Stanley, grandfather of the present appointee. The intimate friendship existing between the Quays and Stanleys prompted the parents of the statesman, then a newborn babe, to name him in honor of Matthew Stanley, their neighbor. Thus came the name Matthew Stanley Quay.

## New Fad in Jewels.

Opals are again coming into favor with women who can afford to carry a stock of gems, says the New York Press. Ever since the Princess of Wales set this fashion last spring the fad has been growing, and a market has been opened for the inferior opal stones of central Mexico. The appearance of a neck strand of these gems on a matron in the Metropolitan Opera House in New York caused much comment. The stones have had most of their recent use set with diamonds in a ring, but now they are seen in combs, garter clips, bracelets and even in the backs of costly hairbrushes. It is difficult to match opals, and fine sets of these stones are rare.

## Cold Baths For Vagrants.

Justice Michelson of St. Joseph, Mo., who served as police judge during the absence from the city of Judge Carollus, announced recently that vagrants brought before him would not be sent to the workhouse to board at the expense of the city, as they generally wish, but instead they will be sentenced to take a cold water bath once a day for a week and then leave the city under penalty of doubling the dose, says the Kansas City Journal. John Olaf was the first victim, and he begged to be allowed to leave the city.

## RUSSIAN BABY A SOLDIER.

Quaver Case In Which a Nurse Must Attend Fall Grown Man.

A peculiar incident, illustrating the tedious processes of Russian law and the extreme tardiness of Russian justice, is told by A. Makiel, a recent emigrant from that country, who was a witness in a case which required seventeen years to get a decision, says the Minneapolis Journal. He left the country some time ago and has recently been informed of the outcome.

Mr. Makiel came to Minneapolis on account of a dislike toward him in the neighborhood of Kishineff because he expressed sympathy for the homeless Hebrews. His attitude was considered as hostile by some, and although he is not a Jew himself, he thought he would be better off in a free country.

In 1886 a boy was born to a nobleman living near Kishineff, and, according to the custom, a nurse was hired to have sole charge of the child until he became old enough to be placed in the schools. The nurse was compelled to sign a contract binding her to service for five years. She did her work faithfully for two years and then broke her contract by marrying a young workman who was often employed at the nobleman's house. She had, however, been so faithful to her little charge and had done her work so well that the father brought suit in the provincial court to make her return and comply with her contract.

In the trial in the lower courts the case was decided in favor of the girl, but the nobleman had money, and the case was carried up by those mysterious methods known only in Russia until it finally reached the highest court of the land. This august body, called the high synod, after considerable delay and argument rendered a verdict to the effect that, inasmuch as the girl had signed the contract, she must return at once and fulfill it. Imprisonment is the penalty for refusing to obey the court's orders, and the girl, now a prosperous matron, is in a quandary as to her next move, for the little boy mentioned in the contract is now serving his time in the Russian army. Mr. Makiel says he does not know whether the high synod looked at the date of the documents of appeal.

## SPENCER AND LUNATICS.

Great Psychologist Proved But of an Unfortunate's Joke.

To the late Herbert Spencer, the English philosopher, the minds of lunatics had an odd fascination, says the Chicago Record-Herald. Mr. Spencer was a frequent visitor to a number of asylums, and he would never laugh so heartily as when recounting some unconscious whimsicality of a lunatic.

Sometimes he would tell of the criticism a lunatic woman made on a sermon that was preached in her asylum. This criticism was brief, but it was telling.

"To think," said the woman, pointing toward the clergyman—"to think of him out and me in!"

On another occasion Mr. Spencer and a friend were walking toward an asylum they proposed to visit. Their way led them across a railroad, and seated near the track they saw a young man reading. This young man was a lunatic, but they did not know it at the time.

"My friend," said Mr. Spencer, pausing, "where does this railroad go to?" The lunatic looked up from his book and gave his interrogator a long stare of scorn. Then he replied:

"It doesn't go anywhere. We keep it here to run trains on!"

## Unique Gift For a Waitress.

A tree decorated with new, crisp one dollar bills was the Christmas present which Miss Stella La Grand, a waitress employed at a restaurant in St. Louis, received the other day from the members of the Hooligan club, sixteen young men employed in the wholesale district who are served daily by Miss La Grand at their noonday meal, says the St. Louis Republic. The tree, about three feet in height, was decorated by the manager of the restaurant at the solicitation of the club, which furnished him with the novel presents. The club arrived promptly at noon and took their places at their accustomed table. Miss La Grand took their orders and went to the kitchen. The tree, which had been smuggled into the restaurant, was then placed upon the table, and Miss La Grand, returning soon after, received the unique gift.

## Fashions in Flowers.

There are fashions in flowers as well as in gowns and other things. Just at present the beautiful orchid is the adornment of every woman's corsage who can afford one, and just over the heart is the place it must be worn. Of course the American Beauty is still a favorite, and no flower will ever take its place.

## The New Year Apprentices, 1904.

The northern bent the icy trees And skinned the frozen pools. I saw the old year passing out; He bore a bag of tools. His hands were rough with honest toil, His weary steps were slow; The bells proclaimed the noon of night; He vanished in the snow.

I heard a knocking at my door; The dawn was gray and chill. A rosy young apprentice boy Stood waiting on the sill. His clear blue eyes were bright with hope.

And on his curly hair Was perched a jaunty little cap, The kind that workmen wear.

"I brought along the plans," he said, "Of tunnels to be drilled And roads to grade and tracks to lay And bridges to must build, And many steeled structures tall That I must shortly rear; I am prepared to go to work; I am the glad new year."

—Miss Irving in *Ladies Weekly*.

## DATE OF MILLENNIUM.

London Clergyman Picks May 2, 1929, or April 9, 1931.

## TROUBLE A-PLenty MEANTIME.

Rev. M. Baxter Says Seven Plagues Will Disconcert Humanity Before the Messiah Reappears—A Napoleon, King First of Macedonia, Then of Syria, to Be, He Asserts, a Second Great Leader.

The exact date of the end of the present age and the dawn of the millennium has at last been discovered. The unfold of this interesting and long looked for bit of information is the Rev. M. Baxter of London, who has perpetrated two books, entitled "Twenty Coming Events" and "Future Wonders of Prophecy," says the New York Commercial Advertiser.

As a prophet with a magnificently microscopic vision and an utter clogged and involved English the Rev. Mr. Baxter surpasses John Alexander Dowrie.

According to Baxter, the last day of this age will be either Thursday, May 2, 1929, or April 9, 1931. Simultaneously the "millennium of 1,000 years" will commence. He is unable to tell on which of the two days the end will come, because he is undecided on what date Napoleon will seal the seven year covenant with the Jews. Napoleon—not the original little corporal—is to be a second great leader, a king, first of Macedonia, then of Syria. He will be the "little horn of Daniel's seventh chapter."

It is impossible to follow the Rev. Mr. Baxter in all his prophetic deductions, but this much is clear—a great deal of trouble is to strike the earth before May 2, 1929, or April 9, 1931. Among other things, those of us who are still alive two months before the end will have a chance to enjoy the "seven vials or plagues." "Within the final December, January, February, March and April," says Baxter, "they will be fulfilled thus:

"Vial 1, noisome sores for three days; vial 2, sea becomes blood for four days; vial 3, rivers and fountains become blood for four days; vial 4, sun scorches men for fifteen days; vial 5, total darkness for three days; vial 6, Euphrates dries up during 100 days; vial 7, earthquakes, shaking down all cities, and Christ's descent during the final five days."

Before this two sackcloth clothed witnesses, probably Elias and Moses, will prophesy and warn the people. They will have power to turn rivers into blood and shut up the heavens so that no rain can reach the earth for 1,200 days. Demon scorpion locusts will torment men for five months, demon horsemen will ride over the globe for thirteen months and kill one-third of the men, and the "first four trumpets," seven years before the millennium, will (1) bring hail and fire on earth in September, (2) turn one-third of the sea into blood in January, (3) smother one-third of the fresh waters in April and (4) darken one-third of sun, moon and stars.

Although all these little troubles are evidently intended for the whole world, the greater part of Baxter's squints at the future have resulted in what looks like a hard time for Europe.

At the very front of his "Twenty Coming Events" the prophet places the "Formation of the Ten Kingdoms." Seventeen European countries are to be amalgamated into ten—France, Britain, Spain, Italy, Austria, Greece, Egypt, Syria, Turkey and the Balkan states. These will constitute the "Ten Kingdomed Latin Confederacy," opposed to Germany and Russia.

An eleventh little sovereign among the ten sovereigns, the Little Horn, will arise to rule the ten kingdoms. This will be Napoleon, who, according to Baxter, may turn out to be either Prince Victor Napoleon or Prince Louis Napoleon. He will rapidly advance from a Macedonian leader to be king of Syria and then master of the ten kingdoms.

Along about this time—either April 13, 1922, or May 2, 1929—Napoleon will sign a seven years' covenant with the Jews, who will recommence their daily sacrifice of a lamb and will rebuild the temple in Jerusalem.

Twenty-two months after the Little Horn signs the covenant the Messiah will appear peacefully "in the air as a bridegroom" and will soar aloft to the heavens, accompanied by all the deceased saints and 144,000 living, watchful Christians. This will be "Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1924, at 3 p. m. in Jerusalem, or 12:38 p. m. London."

After the sensational soaring of the 144,000, things will develop rapidly until the final day when the Messiah, returning again, will overcome Napoleon in the battle of Armageddon.

## To Stock Lake Superior With Seals.

Preliminary steps have been taken for the formation of the Lake Superior Seal Propagation society, the object being to stock Lake Superior with fur-bearing seals, says the Milwaukee Sentinel. The head of the society will be Seben Malaroff of Ashland, Wis., a retired Russian sailor with thirty years' experience as a sealer; former Lieutenant Governor Fifield and J. S. Robins of Rhinelander. It is figured that ten male and forty female seals in the lake will increase to 1,000 in twenty years. The Apostle Islands or Isle Royale, together with the rocky shores of Lake Superior, would be ideal breeding places for seals, it is held, and Mr. Malaroff says the climate conditions are perfect. Efforts will be made to secure governmental regulation by agreement with Canada. The projectors figure large profits.

## FRANCE'S TAVERN WAITER

What the First Arrest at the Noted Landmark Revealed.

In New York the other day John Jambal, a waiter, was arraigned for selling a glass of beer to a policeman on Sunday without insisting on the customary sandwich being purchased. In the complaint the place in which the liquor was sold was put down as "101 Broad street."

After questioning the waiter and the policeman for some time Judge Holbrook, who presided, looked at Lawyer Walsh and asked:

"Has that place at 101 Broad street a good reputation?"

The lawyer answered in the affirmative, and then the judge asked:

"How long has the place been there?"

This appeared to surprise Mr. Walsh, and, after gazing at the ceiling for a moment, he answered:

"Oh, I guess somewhere between 130 and 140 years."

"What's that?" asked the judge as he and his colleagues straightened up. "How long did you say?"

"Well, for more than a century and a quarter," replied the lawyer, "and as far as I can learn this is the first arrest that has ever been made there. That ought to establish a good reputation, I think."

"But what place is it?" was the judge's next question.

"Why, I thought you knew," said the lawyer as he laughed. "That is France's tavern, and I don't suppose I need tell you anything of its history."

The three judges bowed their heads over their desk for a few moments, and when Judge Holbrook rendered the verdict of the court his face was flushed.

"The prisoner is discharged," he said simply.

France's tavern is the famous old place in which Washington bade farewell to his officers on Dec. 23, 1783.

## GIRLS AS CHAPEL BUILDERS

Students at Connecticut School Intend to Be Their Own Masons.

The girls who attend Rosemary Hall, at Rock Ridge, in Greenwich, Conn., have decided to build a chapel and will not allow a man to have anything to do with the work on the structure. They propose to do it all themselves, says a Stamford dispatch.

The idea originated a few months ago in the brain of one of the girls who attend that stylish seminary, and at the first proposal her companions adopted it with enthusiasm. A leader was appointed, plans were drawn by themselves and submitted to the head instructor. It was for a one story stone edifice of rustic design, simple, yet all that was required.

Stone from a nearby field was given them, and every day after school for the past month the girl students, with a hired team and wagon, have been carting the rock to the site of the new building.

The result is that a huge pile of stone is to be seen near the seminary, where it will remain until the weather is such that the girls can go out with pickaxes and shovels and dig the trench for the foundation. They intend to mix the mortar and lay the stone, according to instructions from a mechanic and with the ideas they are getting by perusing books on the building art during the winter.

## LADIES' CLUB TOO POPULAR

Young Men Retain by Organizing "Wedding Tour Association."

The Quail club of Clayton, N. J., which was organized among the society ladies a few weeks ago as a social organization, has become so popular that desperate efforts are being made by the boycotted young men to break it, says a Clayton dispatch. A clause in the club's bylaws compels every member to secure her escort from out of town, imposing a fine for each violation of the rule. The weekly banquets given by the club proved so popular that almost every eligible girl in town is now a member.

But the young men assert they have a trump card to play in the game against the Quails. The other evening they organized the Wedding Tour association, with nearly fifty members. Weekly receptions are to be held at the homes of members, and the dues are to be used in paying the wedding tour expenses of the members. Each one as he is married will receive enough from the treasury to pay all expenses at some popular resort for one week. The rules of the club further state that if the girl is a member of the Quails the couple will receive a handsome wedding present in addition.

## The Shovel on the Walk.

What joy some winter morning When I suddenly awake, And just the thought of getting Up will make the covers shake, When chilly drafts inform me That the furnace fire is low, And looking out the window, I can see the falling snow, What joy it is to listen To my neighbor's cheerful talk And the merry, merry clatter Of the shovel on the walk.

I make a mental picture Of the snowdrift on the street, And sleep at once becomes a Blessing more than twice as sweet. Oh, how I hug the pillow Even more tightly than before And make all kinds of wishes That relate to sleeping more!

I know that "duty calls" me, But I'm much inclined to balk; What I hear the merry clatter Of the shovel on the walk.

Give me the good old summer, When the snow is at the pole, And I don't have to shovel Any ashes, snow or coal. Let any man that wishes Spend his morning pushing snow, But not for me the labor! When the biting blizzards blow The stuff about the pleasure Of the work is dippy talk, And I don't like to hear the clatter Of the shovel on the walk.

—Albany Times-Union.

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No. 20, daily, Decatur accommo- dation	2:10 p. m.
No. 2, daily	5:35 p. m.

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## CHICAGO &amp; ALTON RY.

TIME TABLE

Directed to Sunday, Dec. 6, 1903—Subject to change without notice.

\*Daily. \*Daily except Sunday.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 10, Chicago vestibule limited 2:58 am  
No. 12 Atlantic express 6:00 am  
No. 4 Chicago express 12:12 pm  
No. 11 Chicago and Peoria ex. 5:45 pm

WEST BOUND.

No. 11 Kansas City express 5:43 am  
No. 13 Kansas City day express 10:05 am  
No. 3 Roadhouse accommodation 5:32 pm  
No. 7, K. C., Col. & Cal. limited 11:47 pm

ALTON & JACKSONVILLE TRAINS.  
Leave Jacksonville 5:45 am  
Arrive Peoria 8:45 pm  
Leave Peoria 7:25 am  
Arrive Jacksonville 10:05 am

JACKSONVILLE & ST. LOUIS RY.  
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No. 1 No. 4 No. 10  
J. Jacksonville 5:35 pm 7:00 am 5:40 pm  
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## THE MARKETS

Chicago, Jan. 22. Wheat—Thirty-nine cars; estimated for to-morrow, thirty cars. Corn—Three hundred and twelve cars; estimated for to-morrow, 140 cars. Oats—One hundred and forty-five cars; estimated for to-morrow, 140 cars.

RANGE OF GRAIN PRICES.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Today's	Yesterday.
May	3.91%	3.91%	3.90%	3.90%	3.91%
July	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.81
Corn—					
May	3.97%	3.97%	3.96%	3.96%	3.97%
July	3.88%	3.88%	3.87%	3.87%	3.88%
Oats—					
May	3.24%	3.24%	3.23%	3.23%	3.24%
July	3.17%	3.17%	3.16%	3.16%	3.17%
Pork—					
January	13.20	13.20	13.12%	13.12%	13.25
May	13.32%	13.32%	13.30	13.32%	13.32%
Lard—					
January	7.12%	7.12%	7.12%	7.12%	7.02%
May	7.30	7.30	7.27%	7.27%	7.25
Ribs—					
January	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.40
May	6.72%	6.72%	6.72%	6.72%	6.72%

MATHENY & LLOYD.

(By Associated Press.) Chicago, Jan. 22.—Wheat—An amount of crippled wire service trading was light. The opening was weak largely because of lower cables and large Argentine shipments. Another factor was report of additional rain in the southwest, effectively breaking the long drought in that section. May was a shade to 3/16% lower at 91 1/2% 91%. Settlement among pit traders seemed decidedly bullish and they were inclined to sell freely. During the first hour May declined to 90 1/2%. Open buying by the big bull operator temporarily checked the downward tendency and some recovery was made, but as soon as demand from that source slackened prices again started in search of a lower level. On every trade the prominent long would send in buying orders in endeavor to support the market, but efforts were of no avail. Prices continued to sink until May touched 90 1/2%, a decline of 1 1/2% from the opening. The close was weak, May 13 1/2% lower, Liverpool 1/2% lower. On the coast eleven boat loads were taken.

Corn—Corn was subjected to about the same experience as wheat with the possible exception the pit crowd was less fearful of selling corn than wheat. The market was comparatively steady early owing to firm tone of cables and large shipping business yesterday. With the break in wheat, however, prices declined sharply. The market received good support at times, but it was sufficient to cause only slight rallies and offering continued to come out on special bulges. The close showed May down 3/4%. At the seaboard six boat loads were accepted. Liverpool 1/2% lower to 1/2% higher.

Oats—Oats displayed weakness early on selling of a half million bushels of May by a prominent commission house. The crowd was under the impression the big long had finally begun to dispose of his holdings, but when it discovered this was not the case far demand from commission houses and local traders caused a steadier feeling. The market was affected somewhat by weakness of wheat and corn. At the close May was 5/16% lower.

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ceipts,	ments.
Flour, this	21,000
Wheat, this	25,000
Corn, this	25,000
Oats, this	22,000

## LIVESTOCK.

Cattle—To-day's supply of 2,500 was more than ample, prices ruling weak to the lower. Trade about as usual on Friday. Supplies this week have been excessive, prices have been declining nearly all the time and are fully 25/100 lower than a week ago. Heavy heaves were last to weaken, but they finally declined smartly along with light, thin cattle. Good to prime, \$13.00/15.00; poor to medium, \$2.50/15.00; stockers, \$2.00/10.00; cows, \$1.50/4.00. Hogs—Receipts, 21,000. There was active demand once more at slightly better prices. This has been an unusually active and excited week and early weakness was followed by much higher prices. Mixed and butchers', \$18.50/19.00; good to choice heavy, \$5.00/5.20; rough haves, \$4.50/6.00; light, \$4.00/4.50; bulk of sales, \$4.50/6.00. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000. Prices were strong to day at \$4.00/4.50 for lambs, \$3.00/4.00 for western sheep, best ewes selling at \$4.25, choice yearlings at \$5.00, natives ranged from \$2.50/4.50. Decline early in the week amounting to 40/100 had result in checking receipts. St. Louis, Jan. 22.—Wheat—Cash, 90 1/2%; May, 88 1/2%.

## ST. LOUIS MARKET.

Corn—Cash, 42c; May, 41 1/2%.

Oats—Cash 39 1/2%; May, 40 1/2%.

## LIVESTOCK.

Cattle—Receipts, 700. Steady. Beef steers, \$3.30/4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.50/4.00; cows and heifers, \$2.50/4.00; Texas steers, 2.40/4.20.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000. Market strong to be higher. Range, \$4.45/6.15.

## LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool Jan. 22.—Wheat—Spot nominal.

Corn—Spot American mixed, new steady, 48 1/2d.

## NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, Jan. 22.—Wheat—Receipts, 5,000 bu. Spot easy; No. 2, 91c elevator and 90c nominal f. o. b. float. Options closed 3/16 1/2% net lower; May, 92 1/4c.

Corn—Receipts, 31,000 bu.; exports, 75,000 bu. Spot quiet; No. 2, 55c elevator and 53 1/2c f. o. b. float; No. 2 yellow, 55c; No. 2 white, 53 1/2c. Options closed heavy at 3/4c net loss; May, 55c.

Oats—Receipts, 15,000 bu. Spot nominal. Options nominal.

## FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Jan. 22.—Another day of active and varied trading in stocks marked progress of the speculative campaign.

Major on call easy at 15/162. Time loans easy; sixty days at 2 1/2; ninety days at 3 1/2; six months at 4 1/4.

Prime paper at 4 1/4/16 per cent.

Exchange easy. Demand at 48 1/2/16/48 1/2; sixty days at 48 1/2/16/48 1/2.

Bar silver at 55 1/2.

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## UNCLE JOE'S OVERCOAT

## How Speaker Cannon Got a Fifty Dollar Garment Cheap.

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## PAID FIFTEEN DOLLARS FOR IT.

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Uncle Joseph Cannon, the speaker of the house of representatives, has purchased a brand new overcoat, and thereby hangs an interesting tale, if all reports are true, says the Washington Post.

Uncle Joe has never been accused of being a fashion plate when it comes to wearing apparel. His clothes have always been neat, but plain, and never of an expensive kind. When it comes to overcoats his intimate friends declare he never paid more than \$15 for a garment, and a ready-made one at that. He is known to practice economy in the buying of his business clothes.

The overcoat that Uncle Joe had left over this winter from several seasons began to show considerable wear. Miss Cannon, thinking her father should present a little better appearance since he had been elevated to the speakership, set out one day recently to select a new overcoat for him. Passing a fashionable haberdasher's establishment on Pennsylvania avenue in Washington, she spied an elegant coat hanging in the display window.

Miss Cannon went into the establishment and asked permission to examine the coat, stating that her father needed a new one. When asked the price of the garment the clerk replied \$50.

"Well, my father never pays more than \$15 for his coats, but I want him to have this one," she said. Miss Cannon, according to the story that is going the rounds of the capitol, told the clerk that she would have her father call and look at the coat and to tell him its price was \$15 and she would pay the difference.

That evening when the speaker reached his abode his daughter told of the coat she had selected and asked him to get it the following morning. He did so and bought it for \$15. Arriving at the capitol attired in his new purchase, the speaker went to the appropriations committee room. There he was greeted by Representative Hemenway of Indiana and other members.

"My gracious, Uncle Joe, aren't you putting on lots of style here of late? That's a fine overcoat you have on. I don't understand how you can afford to be so extravagant and fastidious in your habits," said Mr. Hemenway.

"This is a good coat at a cheap price," remarked Mr. Cannon as he straightened up and buttoned the coat its full length in an apparent manner of great satisfaction and pride.

"It must have cost you at least \$40 or \$50, Uncle Joe," said the Indiana congressman.

"This is a bargain overcoat; only cost me \$15," proudly replied the speaker.

"I'll give you \$35 for it," said Mr. Hemenway, reaching deep down for his wallet.

"I'll take it," answered the speaker, who was then peeling off the overcoat as fast as was possible.

For some reason or other the Indiana statesman did not buy the coat, but if he had the members of the Cannon family would have suffered an expensive joke. It is not known whether the speaker has yet found out the real, actual cost of his fine coat.

## AN AMERICAN PANTHEON.

Bartholdi Would Have All Presidents Buried on Bedloe's Island.

The New York World's Paris correspondent called by appointment upon Bartholdi, the famous sculptor, who gave to New York the colossal statue of Liberty Enlightening the World, at his fine villa, comprising studio and home, with a garden and rear court, 82 Rue d'Assas, on the left bank of the river Seine.

Bartholdi said that he is always cherishing as his favorite idea the turning of Bedloe's island into a sort of national American Pantheon, girted with the statues of those who have contributed to their country's fame, with Washington, Lafayette and other famous generals perhaps as a central group.

He would also have the bodies of all the presidents removed to Bedloe's island and would have a comprehensive museum of national relics established. He believes that such a spot would prove a Mecca for all Americans, instilling patriotism into the young. Besides, the immigrants would grasp and learn to revere the history of the new country while yet at its very gate.

Tortured to Death by Hot Eggs.

The Rev. M. N. Popoff, now in the United States, received from Sofia, Bulgaria, from an official of the Bulgarian National bank who is a Macedonian, a letter containing an account of Turkish atrocities in Macedonia, says the New York Tribune. The letter says in part:

Have you heard that Lazar Racheff of Mehadia died a month ago in Salonika? You know that he was in prison. In Mehadia he has been tortured.

They (the Turks) burned him with eggs just taken out of boiling water. He was laid on his back, and on his bare breast the hot eggs just taken out of boiling water were rolled. In consequence of this a disease was contracted in his chest, and he died in the Salonika prison. Having been asked by an old Protestant woman what he died before he died, he said with agony if he had any wish that she could convey to his family, he replied, "My only wish at present is to be laid in the grave as soon as possible."

## FIELD FOR WOMEN IN JAPAN.

The Japanese government railway bureau proposes to employ young women to sell tickets at the central station at Yokohama, and if the innovation proves a success all the male ticket sellers on the government railways will be displaced.

## "PARISIAN" THOUGHTS.

At "Parisian" I sadly sit

Midst tempests wildly Dutch

And wonder why in blazes it

Should cost so very much.

And as I list there comes a maid

One base suspicion small—

Where "Florodora" erstwhile reigned

It now is "Parisian."

It's "Parisian" and "Parisian,"

No matter where you go;

The whole wide town is "Parisian"

From Harlem to Park row.

Musicians say it was a shame

To take it from Balreuth;

The preacher says it should be damned

To Kansas or Detroit (Detroit).

The millionaire he tells his wife

It costs too much to view it.

But it's the price, you bet your life,



# I. RAWLINGS CLOTHING CO.

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and Children's - - - Overcoats

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M. H. HAVENHILL, Sec'y-Treas.

INDICATION.  
Washington, Jan. 23.—For Illinois: Fair Saturday except snow flurries and colder in the north portion. Sunday fair; fresh west to northwest winds.

### GROWTH IN SAVINGS

State Banks Show Heavy Increase in Deposits.

During the year 1902 the savings deposits in the state banks of Illinois alone increased \$21,000,000 and there was an deposit in this class of banks Dec. 30, 1902, \$129,665,315, against \$108,665,315 on Dec. 22, 1902. These figures came out yesterday in a comparative statement of the condition of the state banks of Illinois on these two dates. The figures are from the state auditor's recapitulation of the statements of all such banks made to him according to law.

There has been an increase of forty-seven banks in the year from 205 to 252. The total resources have grown from \$22,276,709 to \$28,422,853. Loans and discounts Dec. 30 last were \$211,731,162, against \$188,531,961 a year previous. The most notable increase otherwise was in the holdings of bonds other than United States, being \$57,229,637, against \$60,529,491, an increase of nearly seven millions. Other decreases and increases in resources during the year were immaterial. Capital stock during the year grew from \$31,365,000 to \$36,625,000. The surplus funds increased \$2,699,416. Demand deposit certificates showed an increase of \$3,571,963.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. 25 cents per bottle.

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### THE DEATH RECORD.

#### TUMAN.

Mrs. E. C. Tuman passed away at Boulder, Colo., Wednesday, Jan. 20. She had been a sufferer from consumption and went west in search of health about three years ago. Her life was prolonged by the trip, but the disease had made such progress that her system was unable to combat it. Her death is a particularly sad one, as she was a woman of deserving character and whose kindly ways and gentle spirit made her admired by many friends.

Mrs. Tuman was 38 years of age and was the wife of E. C. Tuman, of this city. Her maiden name was Cline, and she formerly resided in Virginia, Ill. She was a member of the First Baptist church of this city and took an active interest in the work of that organization. The interment took place in Colorado.

#### NEWBY.

Albert Stirling Earl Newby, of Nortonville, aged 7 years, died Wednesday, Jan. 20 at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Newby. He was a patient sufferer and his death is sadly mourned. He had a bright sunny disposition and in their sorrow his family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

The funeral was held Friday morning at 11 o'clock. In addition to his parents one sister, Mrs. Harkle-road, of Pisgah survive him.

#### COLEMAN.

Harry Coleman, of Jerseyville, died there recently from consumption, age 31. The deceased about two years since was married to Miss Mariel Williams, formerly of this city.

#### FUNERALS.

#### POSSITE.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Possite was held Friday morning at

10 o'clock at the Church of Our Savior. The services were in charge of Father O'Flaherty and were of an impressive character. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends and at the conclusion of the services the remains were borne to Calvary cemetery where the interment took place. The bearers were James Flynn, Thomas Doyle, John Doyle, John Hagel, James McBride and Patrick Donovan.

#### TAYLOR.

The funeral of Wm. Taylor took place at the Congregational church at Waverly, Friday afternoon, the services being largely attended.

Wm. Taylor was born on a farm near Oxford, England, July 8, 1827, and died at his residence in Waverly, Jan. 19, 1904, aged 76 years, 6 months and 11 days.

When about 24 years of age he left England, Jan. 1, 1851, arriving at New Orleans, he went to Alton, spending the remainder of the year 1851 at that place. He then came overland by stage coach to Sangamon county to work as farm hand, renter and farmer until nine years ago, he moved to Waverly.

Mr. Taylor was twice united in marriage. His first wife dying in England, leaving one child, Mrs. Hannah Perrine, of McCune, Kan. Dec. 19, 1851 he was married to Miss Alice Harris at Alton. He was previously acquainted with Miss Harris in England. To this second union seven children were born, six of whom are living, viz. Lucy A. Geo. H. Richard E., Wm. A., Fannie J. and Alice E.

#### STOP IT.

A neglected cough or cold may lead to serious bronchial or lung troubles. Don't take chances when Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from serious effects of a cold. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.

### UNION SERVICES

Second Evening Sermon by  
Evangelist Jordan—Crav-  
ings After God, his  
Theme.

Another large audience assembled in State Street church last night to hear Rev. Charles G. Jordan in the special revival services. It is very evident that Mr. Jordan is an unusually strong speaker. His words last night were listened to with even greater interest than upon the previous evening. It is impossible to give more than a few extracts from his discourse. Intellectually, his arguments were strong and convincing. In spirit they were earnest and warm from the heart.

In introducing his remarks Mr. Jordan said:

"Last night we considered the cravings of the heart after God; to night we will consider Him whom the heart craves." The speaker then took his text from Mark 15:39, "And when the centurion, which stood over against him, saw that he so cried out, and gave up the ghost, he said, truly this man was the Son of God. We are living in a grand and awful age; an age of wide open eyes; an age of investigation and discovery. What once was considered almost too holy to look upon is now brought out into the searching light. Jewels of priceless worth, once thought worthy only of a princess, are now put in acids to discover what are their constituent elements. It is an age when many are saying, 'Off with the old and on with the new. Some say that Jesus was a good man and did a good work, but that he was not divine. Is the accusation true?'"

"When Christ was on earth He was not overcome by false models. He claimed to be divine. He said: 'I and my Father are one.' But some say that in these claims he was mistaken; that he erred in making this statement. And yet they say he was true in all other things, and this is strong inference that he was true in all."

"Christ's followers also said that he was divine; that he was the son of God. And not alone his followers, but those who were not of his disciples or of even his nation said the same. The testimony of an unbiased Englishman with reference to Napoleon is apt to be more true than is the testimony of his devoted followers; his estimate will be more conservative. Now here was one who stood and saw Christ die upon the cross. As the Savior died, the centurion said, 'Truly this man was the son of God.' The testimony of a witness is always proportioned according to his worth. This centurion held an important office under the Roman government. Jerusalem in those days was a very difficult province to rule and control. A man placed where this man stood must have been a man of caution and of great discretion."

"What was it that had thus impressed this hardy Roman? What was it in the Christ that impressed him of his divinity? It was the fact that in an awful hour Christ was unmoved by the fury of the storm that swept over him. He did not frown upon his persecutors. He did not speak evil of them. He cried, 'Father forgive them; they know not what they do.'"

"You say gentleness is a token of weakness. I say it is a sign of strength. Weakness struggles, tugs and complains. Strength lifts the burden and carries it easily away. Gentleness and a magnanimous spirit are the signs of strength of character. Truly this was the son of God. It has been said, 'Socrates died like a philosopher; but Jesus Christ died like a God.'"

"Nature also witnessed the divinity of Christ. The sun veiled its face that it might not behold the dark deeds of men. The earth trembled with universal earthquake. It is related that an Egyptian seeing the disturbance said, 'Maybe a God has died.' The centurion said, 'A God has died.'"

The speaker then went on to sketch the conditions that existed among men and nations then and those which prevail to day, and show to the influence of the wonderful life of Christ. He then requested his hearers to note the life of Christ; that so doing they would say with the centurion, 'Truly this was the son of God.' This being so we should make him the Savior of our souls."

At the conclusion of the sermon Prof. Butts sang a solo in his own indescribably acceptable manner. The chorus under his leadership is doing good work.

There will be no service to day. Sunday morning each pastor of the different churches taking part in this movement will occupy his own pulpit. Mr. Jordan will speak again Sunday evening at State Street church.

There will be an interesting meeting for young people Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At this meeting Mr. Jordan will speak on the theme, "The Christian Athlete." Prof. Butts will sing one of his finest solos, one especially reserved for this meeting. The Illinois College Glee club will also sing. All young people from 13 to 35 are invited.

New books in Elite Library  
Leford's.

### WILL COMPLETE WORK.

Judge Bradburn, of the Pike county court has made an order for a special assessment of \$80,000 to complete the drainage ditch in the Sny Levee and Drainage district from the point to which it has been completed to about a quarter of a mile south of the C. & A. railroad in Pike county. This special assessment is made in accordance with the estimate made by the new engineer, who has gone over the proposed route of the ditch, using the surveys and profiles of his predecessor as a basis. His figures greatly reduced the estimated cost of the ditch, and it has been shortened up some. The creeks are also left out of this estimate and are to be taken care of later.

When this estimate was given to the court the principal objectors to the assessment withdrew their objections and the court made the order. The report of the engineer places the cost of the ditch to a point one-quarter of a mile south of the C. & A. railroad at \$76,136, which is a little more than one-third of the cost of the drainage system formerly proposed. This, however, leaves the creeks to be taken care of later, the cost of which will devolve upon the lands benefitted by the work.

### SURPRISED THEIR OFFICER

R. W. Dodsworth, 610 South East street was agreeably surprised last night by members of the Athens district Court of Honor. The party was given to celebrate the reelection of Mr. Dodsworth to the important post of worthy recorder. The surprise was complete but Mr. and Mrs. Dodsworth received all the guests with great courtesy and all enjoyed the evening thoroughly. Games, music and refreshments served to add to the interest in the occasion.

### AT HICKORY GROVE.

A box social was given last night at Hickory Grove school for the benefit of the library fund. There was a good attendance and the affair was greatly enjoyed. Music was supplied by J. H. Chamberlain's graphophone. The boxes were sold by Jud Cox, as auctioneer and netted over \$13. The social was in every way a great success. Mrs. Eva Ooley is the teacher of the school.

### A REGISTERED DRUGGIST SPEAKS.

Mr. Homer Alvey, registered pharmacist and manager of the West Side drug store, Lincoln, Ill., speaking of a medicine advertised in our columns says: "I have sold Harts' Honey and Horehound for two years and regard it as a medicine of exceptional merit for the cure of Croup Coughs, Colds and La Grippe." For children Harts' Honey and Horehound is undoubtedly the safest and best, as it contains no opium or other narcotics and is pleasant to take. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles sold by Lee P. Alcott.

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ALL WINTER GOODS  
MUST GO

BOYS' CLOTHING  
PRICES CUT DEEP

## SEEBERGER & BRO.

Don't fail to attend during the second week of the  
Greatest of All

## January Clearing Sales

**EXPLANATION;** The amazing interest in our JANUARY CLEARING SALE is due to the extensive variety of this season's styles of fresh goods at price figures so radically lower than regularly charged that the savings are instantly noticeable.

Our announcement of this sale brought a liberal response last week, showing that the public knows that every statement made is absolutely fact and values are always to be found here exactly as represented. Prices were never so low before on the finest of ready to wear clothing.

You never had so good an opportunity to  
save money.

## SEEBERGER & BRO.



## Semi-Annual Clearance Sale.

## Of Winter Footwear for Cash

Previous to the arrival of our spring goods we intend commencing our annual clearance sale today. We have marked everything down quite liberally.

For \$2.50 we can give you a nice pair of ladies' shoes; former prices \$3.00 and \$3.50. These are the best men's shoes made. We are closing out a bunch of ladies' shoes for \$1.50 that were sold regularly for \$2.50 to \$3.00. Ladies' felt house slippers now 50c, 75c and \$1.00. All Stacy-Adams shoes are now selling for \$4.00 and \$4.50. These are the best men's shoes made. We can save you 50c on a pair of Walk-Overs or Burt & Packard's in all leathers. A nice lot of men's shoes, former prices \$3.00 to \$4.00, we will close out for \$2.50. These are regular snaps.

Hopper & Son, The Wideawake Shoe Men

## Mid-January Clearing Sale

Desirable Winter Goods at Phenomenally Low Prices.

Commencing Saturday, January 16th,

FOR ONE WEEK

Come with the masses to the Trade Palace,  
where price are lowest.

## Montgomery & Deppe

**A Line of Blankets**  
in all wool and part wool and cotton at a reduction of 20 per cent.

**A Line of Comforts'**  
all styles at a reduction of 20 per cent.

**A Line of Underwear**  
in ladies', misses' and children's at 25c; were 50c and 65c.

**A Line of Dress and Walking Skirts**  
black and colors, we are selling at very low prices.

**A Line of Cloaks**  
We have a few desirable cloaks left to close out at half price. If you are thinking of buying this is an opportunity for you.

**Wool Fascinators**  
Opera Shawls  
Stockinet Caps  
Tam O'Shanter Caps  
Wool Mittens, etc.  
at clearing prices.

**A Line of Soiled Handkerchiefs**  
were 10, 12c and 15c; will sell while they last at 7c.

**Children's Waists**  
in cambric and cotton flannel, 12c.  
**A Large Line**  
of remnants and odd lots to be closed out very cheap to make room for spring goods.

### SIXTH ANNUAL

## January Matting Sale

At The

## Andre & Andre STORE

: Big Bargains in All Grades :

65c Panama Straw	-	-	-	57c
50c Plain White Straw	-	-	-	43c
45c Lintan Fancy Straw	-	-	-	39c
35c Cochon China and fancy Japs	-	-	-	29c
25c 90 lb China and fancy Japs	-	-	-	21c
20c Mixed Lines	-	-	-	17½c

REMEMBER All Grades from 1 to 12 yards, choice for 10 cents per yard.